



Market Bulletin

Bob Odom, Commissioner

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Ag pilots 'Fly Ins' target farmers' bottom line



The results from a test run of fertilizer or rice seed over a collection strip will be put on a graph to determine uniform distribution. The patron saint of travel, St. Christopher, keeps watch over this plane. LSU AgCenter Researcher Corey Conner collects fertilizer from the canvas funnels crossing the runway at the LeGros Airport in Acadia Parish.



Farmers who spend their hard earned cash on aerial application would be well-served to choose pilots who have their equipment regularly checked and tested, Dan Martin, an LSU AgCenter agricultural engineer, says.

At a recent "fly-in" at LeGros Airport in Acadia Parish near Estherwood, Martin conducted voluntary tests of crop dusters' spreading and spraying equipment.

"Although I see all the pilots over a two or three year period, it's typically the most conscientious pilots that get their planes tested regularly," Martin says.

Martin is a member of Operation S.A.F.E. (Self-Regulating Aerial Flight Efficiency), a national group of university engineers and technicians that conduct seminars and fly-ins on pattern testing and drift minimization.

With advanced technologies like Global Positioning Systems (GPS), newer spray nozzles and faster planes, pilot Denis Guillemette of Lake Arthur says it's necessary to test his plane regularly. "We try to stay on the edge. The industry in our particular area has changed more in the last 10 years than it has in the last forty," Guillemette says.

In the testing of spreading equipment used to distribute granulated fertilizer or rice seed, a 135-foot row of blue canvas funnels is lined up across the runway of the former World War II Army Air Corps runway. Each of the funnels pours into a numbered test tube container.

When Guillemette's Air Tractor 602 flies over the funnels at a speed in excess of 140 mph, he releases a load of fertilizer. The row of fun-

Around the world on an Air Tractor

The lure of Louisiana and flying was a combination that proved to be too much for Canadian Denis Guillemette.

"I had taken a year off from college in 1977 and was traveling by motorcycle across Louisiana when I saw those biplanes," Guillemette said in his distinctive French-Canadian accent.

"I pretty much fell in love looking at those old biplanes working over the fields. I stopped and spoke French with some of the pilots, so I worked a little bit at a flying service and a rice mill to buy parts for the motorcycle," he said.

Returning to his small village near Drummondville in Eastern Township, Quebec, Guillemette took flying lessons and later returned to Louisiana as a French teacher in Lafayette Parish.

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nels collect varying amounts of fertilizer and dump it into the test tubes. The contents of the individual tubes are collected and weighed, which gives data on how uniformly the fertilizer was distributed wing-tip to wing-tip along the entire width of the boom of the aircraft.

Martin enters the information into a laptop computer that graphs the spreader pattern. Needed adjustments are made to correct for any lack of uniformity.

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Agriculture & Forestry Today with Commissioner Bob Odom

With the number of young farmers in the nation steadily declining, Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry Bob Odom continues his efforts to encourage interest in agriculture and forestry among young people participating in regional science fairs.

The second annual Bob Odom Best in Agriculture and Forestry Science Fair Achievement Awards were presented at nine regional science fairs throughout the state to students who exhibited outstanding projects in the fields of agriculture and forestry.

"Because of the current condition of agriculture in this country, every year fewer and fewer young people enter the agriculture business. They want to make money without

having to worry about the weather, world market prices and other factors beyond their control," Odom said.

"But it's important for young people to remember that agriculture is the backbone of this country. Even if they choose not to work in the industry as a farmer or forester, maybe we can spark an interest in the research or further marketing of agricultural and forestry commodities."

Research is particularly vital, Odom said. "In order to keep our current farmers in busi-

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ness and maintain this country's preeminent position as the world's number one food supplier, we need young people to develop new varieties, to advance farm and forest processes, and to bring new ideas to the table."

A team of judges from the Department of Agriculture and Forestry was sent to each regional science fair to select two Best in Agriculture and Forestry award winners. One winner was chosen from the junior division and one winner from the senior division. To

qualify for the award, a student's project had to incorporate some aspect of agriculture and/or forestry.

"In a few instances our judges were overwhelmed by the number of creative, well-planned agriculture and forestry projects," Odom noted. "It's encouraging for the future that this many young students are interested in the industries."

Award winners received a certificate of commendation for their achievement and a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond from Odom. Students, who won at regional science fairs that took place before March 21, were invit-

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A different process is used for spray testing.

A one-millimeter cotton string is strung between two tripods over a hundred-foot distance. A purple fluorescent dye is mixed with water in the plane's hopper.

As the plane flies over the string, the pilot releases the mixture and the dye is collected on the white string. The string is then wound on a reel.

After making three or four passes, the spooled string is brought to Martin's trailer laboratory and run through a fluorometer that measures the dye collected on the cord. A computer creates a graph of the spray pattern.

Martin says he is able to determine from the chart if a sprayer is putting out too much material in one area of the plane's spray swath and not enough in another.

"I can normally pinpoint where adjustments need to be made. I can make a recommendation as to what nozzles the applicator might want to turn on or off and then we'll re-run that aircraft to see what kind of improvements we've made to the pattern," Martin explains.

Pilot Greg Lyons of Welsh says the new nozzles have helped his

accuracy.

"By having these types of nozzles, you have less of the spray that can drift up into the air, vaporize and then move with the wind. The nozzles put out an almost straight stream that hits the deflection point and breaks down into a very uniform size droplet pattern that is going down toward the ground. It's improved a lot of our spray quality characteristics over the past few years," Lyons says.

Martin's Operation S.A.F.E. testing, stringent state regulations and the new nozzles, combined with GPS, are making aerial application more efficient for the farmer and safer for the consumer.

"Accuracy is good for everyone," Bobby Simoneaux, Director of Pesticides and Environmental Programs for the Department of Agriculture and Forestry, says. "Good for the farmer, good for the consumer and good for the environment."

Prior to 1997, pesticide drift complaints numbered more than 400 investigated incidents a year. Simoneaux says that number has dropped below 200 complaints annually since 1998 and the trend continues downward.



LSU AgCenter researcher Dan Martin and pilot Mark Henderson read a computer printout (left), indicating needed nozzle adjustments to Henderson's aircraft at the AgCenter's recent Fly In. Martin (below left) generates computer results from a 100-foot length of string after the aircraft has sprayed fluorescent dye on a test string stretched across the runway at the airport in Acadia Parish. While liquid material is regulated through spray nozzles, granular seed or fertilizer is fed out of a hopper (below) on the underbelly of a plane.



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"I got pretty much right away into flying. I immigrated over here and that's what I've been doing since," Guillemette said.

"I enjoy the seasonal nature of the work. I used to fly here about four months out of the year for the rice season, then I would drive back to Quebec and fly for two months there and then in mid-September I would work for an American or Canadian company overseas," the pilot said.

Guillemette's love of flying has taken him halfway across the world to locations in western Africa and Jordan in the Middle East, "flying turboprop for what they call over there, locusts."

Guillemette now owns his own flying service, Lake Aviation out of Lake Arthur in Jefferson Davis Parish, and has four French Canadians working for him.

"It's hard to get local help because it's so seasonal," Guillemette said.

Genevieve Lacasse, who responded to an ad in Quebec's newspaper, *La Tribune*, for a dispatcher and cleric, is the latest Canadian addition to Guillemette's work force.

On a recent visit to Lake Aviation, the French language filled radio airwaves as Lacasse relayed instructions from airstrip headquarters on La. 380 to Guillemette and his single-wing airplane flying somewhere over the rice fields of Jefferson Davis Parish.

In between the French radio chatter the 23-year-old said she hasn't had a chance to experience

Louisiana's Cajun culture. "It's too busy. We're working seven days a week," she said.

"When we're busy we usually do about 70 loads a day on average. We have to be ready when the weather's right," Guillemette said as he paused briefly at the Welsh Airport for a quick photo op. Before the photographer could take five photographs of the new Acadian, his crew had loaded about two tons of rice seed into the hopper of the Air Tractor aircraft and Guillemette was down the runway and gone.

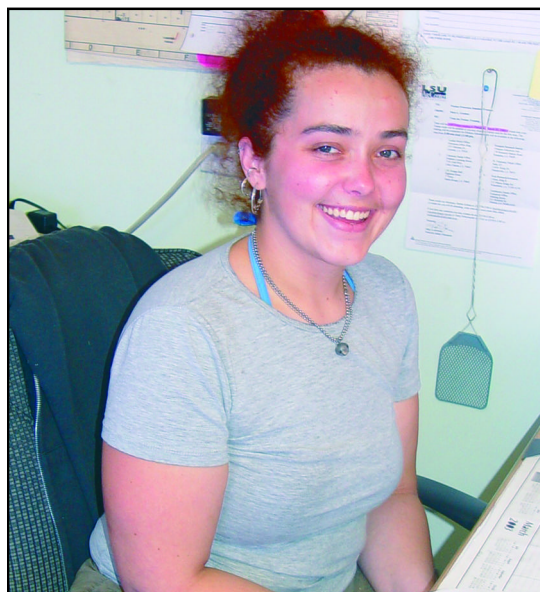
Realizing Guillemette planted about 12,000 pounds of rice seed in thirty minutes, it's easy to understand just how precious every minute is when the weather is good this time of year.

On his third and final touchdown, Guillemette disembarked from the plane and posed for pictures.

"The weather is good and we got busy today. I'm flying to the Jennings Airport from here," he said.

The aerial application or crop dusting business is not for everyone, Guillemette said.

"There are quite a few older pilots that's just got about enough of it. Our insurance rate has increased tremendously. Fuel is a high cost and increasing daily. Passing the cost of operation down to the customer is harder and harder because their profit margins are significantly smaller. I'm not sure what's going to happen in the next few years. A few people just won't be able to make it," Guillemette observed.



Transplanted Canadian pilot Denis Guillemette (top) adjusts his helmet in his Air Tractor 602 prior to taking off with a load of rice seed. Genevieve Lacasse (above), also Canadian, takes care of office chores. Gilles Cloutier, from Sherbrooke, Quebec Province, prepares two, 2300-pound bags of rice seed for loading into the plane's hopper.

CATTLE

No grade sires listed in the interest of better livestock. All dairy cattle 20 mos. of age, beef cattle 24 mos. of age, or pasturing or post parturient animals of any age offered for sale, except for immediate slaughter, must have valid 30-day negative brucellosis test certificate. Contact La. Dept. of Agriculture and Forestry, P.O. Box 1951, Baton Rouge, La. 70821-1951.

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Reg. Braford bulls & heifers, champ. bloodlines, gain test leaders, heifers, \$700/1; 2 yr. bulls, \$1500. Fred Elsing, Alexandria, 71306; (318) 442-0741 or (318) 447-1145.

Pb Char. bulls, 13 mos., no bad habits, polled, dewormed, very gentle, \$1000. Philip Melancon, Church Point, 70529; (337) 873-6232.

(3) Reg. Brangus bulls, 2 yrs., semen tested, ready for service, \$1100. Raymond Watson, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 665-3426.

(2) Reg. Char. bulls, 3 yrs., sired by JBJ-A-J & AC Mr. Macho, calves to show, \$1600/1. Calvin Cormier, Scott, 70583; (337) 896-4127.

(3) Beefmaster cows w/calves, (1) 2 yrs., (2) 4 yrs., w/first & second calves, very gentle, \$900/cow/calf pr. Grover Davis, Forest Hill, 71430; (318) 748-8884.

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Reg. Angus bulls, 15-17 mos., excel. bloodlines, LBW, EPD's, docile & thick, in good cond., \$1000-\$1600/1. Sammy Broussard, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 364-7681 or (337) 364-0237.

Beefmasters, high performing quality cattle, open & bred, 2 yr. pairs, \$800-\$1600; bulls, 12-26 mos., \$1200-\$2200, all one brand, sires are U1 classified, dams are U1 & U2 classified, herd # 88-691. Mel Jackson, Alexandria, 71302; (318) 443-0203.

Reg. Char. bull, 15 mos., \$1500. Virgil Montoucet, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-9842.

Coastal raised for coastal trade, Hereford bulls, cows, pairs & heifers, all ages, excel. milk & size w/LBW, horned & polled, \$800-\$1800/1. Harold Loewer, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4487.

Reg. blk. Angus bulls, 13 mos.-15 mos., \$800-\$1000. Noble Mabou, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-5391.

Reg. blk. Angus bull, 3 yrs., semen tested, calves to show, strong genetics, \$2000. Arthur Freeman, Columbia, 71418; (318) 649-5863.

Braford heifers, bred to Brangus bulls, \$750/1. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

Reg. blk. Angus bulls, excel. bloodlines, \$1000/up. Jeanette Freeman, Columbia, 71418; (318) 649-5863.

Jersey heifer, born 12/12/01, halter broke, gentle, good bag, \$500. Aaron Poirrier, Roseland, 70456; (985) 748-3009.

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Reg. polled Char. bulls, 1 yr., grandsons of HBR program Z97 P, 2002 multi-trait leader, excel. EPD's & disposition, \$800. Joel Pigott, Pearl River, 70452; (985) 863-5008.

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Reg. Char. heifers, 12 mos., fancy, gentle, good numbers, cert. herd, \$7500/10. Stanley Lemoine, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 659-7088.

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Reg. polled pb Char. heifers, 8-9 mos., \$650/1-up; reg. yrlg. bulls, \$775/1-up. Louis Quave, Bush, 70431; (985) 886-5557 or Peter Feringa, Covington, 70433; (985) 871-0317.

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Reg. BBU Beefmaster heifers, 10-14 mos., \$500-\$800; bulls, 11-15 mos., \$600-\$900. B. J. Landry, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-3350 or (337) 824-2181.

Gentle, red, AI sired Limousin bulls, born 5/02, (1) polled, (1) scurred, excel. EPD's, (1) reserve champ. at LSU, \$1200/1-up. David Musselwhite, Oberlin, 70655; (337) 639-4420.

Pb Char. bull, 30 mos., calf to show, \$1250. Grant Soileau, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-3907.

(20) Blk. Brangus heifers, some breeding now, \$500/1. Greg Williams, Hornbeck, 71439; (318) 565-4747.

½ **Angus**, ½ **Braford** bull, 16 mos., LBW, big, stout, ready to go, \$800. Gregory Trahan, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 367-3308.

(3) Reg. Brangus bulls, 2 yrs., semen tested, ready for service, \$1100. Raymond Watson, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 665-3426.

(20) Blk. Brangus heifers, some

breeding now, \$500/1. Greg Williams, Hornbeck, 71439; (318) 565-4747.

BBU Beefmaster bulls, red, gentle, pasture wise, good bloodlines, clean lines, 16 mos., \$775/1. Freddie Carter, Greensburg, 70441; (225) 222-4368.

Reg. Hereford bull, 2 ½ yrs., \$1500. David Drost, Singer, 70660; (337) 786-4042.

Pb reg. Char. bull calves, polled, gentle, weaned, \$500/1-up; cows w/bull calves, \$1000. Ron Harvey, Greenwell Springs, 70739; (225) 261-9540 or (225) 405-7856.

Reg. Brangus bull, 12/00, gentle, pasture cond., calves to show, \$1000; Brangus heifers, 10 mos., \$400/1; Brangus bull, 10 mos., \$450/1. Kevin Simpson, Prairieville, 70769; (225) 673-4382.

(17) Brangus heifers, open, ready to breed, \$650/1. K.C. Robinson, Leesville, 71446; (337) 238-0529.

Reg. Char., (2) 3/N/1s, w/4 mo. calf, \$1500/1; (3) cow & 1 mo. calf, \$1300/1; (1) heavy bred heifer, \$1200/1; (1) 36 mo., bull, sired by Prime Cut, \$2000, or deal for whole herd. Wade Richey, Carencro, 70520; (337) 886-2739.

(4) Reg. gray Brahman heifers, 2 yrs., \$800; 2 yr., fb, Brahman bull, \$700, all shots, wormed, dehorned. Carl Barlow, Pride, 70770; (225) 603-5610.

Reg. Blk. Simm. bull, 4 yrs., sire Blk. Irish Kansas, \$1350. Irv Keller, Covington, 70435; (985) 893-5324.

Reg. Char., 33 yrs. Char. breeding, Duke, Tundra, Wallstreet, weaned bulls, heifers, cow & calf prs., 3/N/1s, certified herd, \$850/1-up. Ivy Guillot, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-8300.

Red Brangus cattle, select heifers, \$750/1-up; (3) bred cows, (1) w/calf, \$950/1-up. John E. Hartman, Kaplan, 70548; (337) 643-6202 or (337) 643-7053.

Reg. Char. bulls, genetically well bred, AI embryo transplanted, \$1250/1-up; open heifers, \$750/1-up; cows 3/N/1s, \$1500/up. Cordell Dartez, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-7593 or (337) 898-1616.

½ **Red Angus** ½ Simmental bulls, top bloodlines, 10-12 mos., \$500/1-up. Ronnie Duplantis, Houma, 70363; (985) 594-5065.

Pd Char., (2) young heifers, 12 & 7 mos., \$1050/both; (4) pb Char. bulls, ready to breed, 11 mos., \$800, all polled. Elvin Lafleur, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-2079.

Reg. Char. bulls, 2-3 yrs., gentle, big & stout, \$1000-\$1200/1; 6-7 mo.; reg. bulls, real nice, \$500-\$700/1; heifers, 6-7 mos., \$500-\$600/1. Bert Lavergne, Scott, 70583; (337) 269-1881.

Reg. Angus & Gelbvieh, breeding age bulls, large selection, \$1000/1-up. Homer Knost, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-8044.

Reg. Angus, Belgian blue & blue Angus bred cows, bred heifers & bred prs., \$900/1-up. Phil Myers, Esterwood, 70534; (337) 785-0750.

Reg. polled Hereford bull, 2 yrs., 4-H project, halter broke, very gentle, \$1200. Barry Fontenot, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 468-2546.

Reg. blk. polled Limousin bull, 4 yrs., 2000+ lbs., semen tested, Wulf's Franchise breeding, excel. EPD's on WW & YW, \$1700. Michael LeDoux, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-2820.

(2) Reg. blk. Angus bulls, 17 & 18 mos., \$800-\$900; (4) reg. blk. Angus open heifers, 15-18 mos., \$800/1-up. Louis Burnthorne, Loranger, 70446; (985) 748-8978.

(7) Braford & Brangus baldy type heifers, excel. quality, running w/LBW Angus bull since March 1, \$650/1. Clint Bellanger, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-4896.

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(1) 2 yr. Char. bull, approx. 1500 lbs., very gentle & nice, birth weight 85 lbs., \$950. Walton Thomassie, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 693-4417.

(6) Char. polled calves, (4) heifers, (2) bulls, 7-9 mos., \$500/1, all from reg. stock. Ronnie Montgomery, Kaplan, 70548; (337) 643-8362.

Reg. Angus bull, born 11-98, calves to show, \$1350; reg. Angus bull, 13 mos., \$850. Jerry Roszczynialski, Pearl River, 70452; (985) 863-7491.

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Reg. polled, Char. bulls, 17-21 mos., ready for service, top bloodlines, \$1000/1-up; reg. Char. yrlg. heifers, light bred, \$850/1-up; reg. Brahman bulls, heavy muscled, top genetics, 18-24 mos., \$1200/1-up. Jason Smith, Maringouin, 70758; (225) 718-0208.

(2) Red Angus bulls, pb, 14 & 12 mos., current vacc., wormed, \$675/1. Ronnie Shaw, Lake Charles, 70607; (337) 479-2406.

(20) Reg. Brangus bulls, 15-18 mos., \$1750/1; (12) reg. Brangus heifers, 12-15 mos., \$850/1, 4-H calves avail., will deliver. Ronnie Link, Evergreens, 71333; (318) 939-2345.

Reg. polled Hereford bull, 4 yrs., ready for heavy service, calves to show, \$1500. Linda Daigrepoint, Pineville, 71360; (318) 253-5134.

(300) Top quality open Brangus heifers, large frames, vacc., very gentle, \$750/1. Ralph & Jane Robinson, Ida, 71044; (318) 284-3530.

BBU reg. Beefmaster bulls, (1) dark red, excel. cond., 7 yrs. on 01/04/03, 2000 lbs, no bad habits, \$1200; 12 mos., \$550. Waldo Thibodeaux, Lafayette, 70503; (337) 235-4587 or (337) 332-3531.

Reg. Simm. bull, red/wh. face, born 7/01, gentle, good bloodline, \$1500, livestock shows over, must sell. Bobby Lafleur, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-4215.

Reg. pb blk. Simm. bull, dbl. polled & dbl. blk., solid blk., son of Jack Pot, 3 yrs., easy calving, very

gentle, keeping heifers, \$1300. Charles Macip, Port Barre, 70577; (337) 942-9123.

Reg. Red Angus bulls, A-1 bred, from excel. bloodline, 2 yrs., \$1000/1-up. Wil Sonnier, Lafayette, 70507; (337) 235-7932 or (337) 654-4498.

Limousin bulls & heifers, reg. polled, dbl. blk., ready for spring breeding, A-1 sire, great EPD's, heavy muscle, \$1200/1-up. Terry Fox, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 364-4241.

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20 yr. roping mare, very gentle, great in box, excel. for women or youth, all shots, \$1200. T. J. Thibodeaux, Independence, 70443; (985) 878-6848.

(2) Female Mediterranean miniature donkeys, (1) 1 yr., (1) 9 mos., reg. sires, \$850/1. Richard Allain, New Iberia, 70562; (337) 364-5155.

1998 Reg. APHA blk./wh. tovero mare, 15.3 hands, 1200 lbs.,

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Reg. QH, (10) yrlgs. & (15) babies, by Zippididoodah by Zippo Pine Bar, \$1500/1-up; bred broodmares, \$300/1-up. Dennis Crain, Winnsboro, 71295; (800) 228-8423.

AQHA colts, by Doc Sugs, Doc Bar & Sir Quincy Dan, (2) to choose, 2002 & 2003 model, \$1100. Robbie Guidroz, Bueche, 70720; (225) 921-9958.

AQHA reg. bay, 5 yr. mare, Skippa, bred to Kings Ranch, working QH, \$4000; reg. APHA, 10 mo. stud by Skippa, \$1800; AQHA mare & 5 mo. QH stud, rebred, \$2500. Harold Loewer, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4487.

1999 AQHA gray geld., Docs Budha x Go Man Go grandson, excel. ranch horse, \$3500. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

Colt, sire is fb Arabian, born 4/22/02, \$400. Aaron Poirrier, Roseland, 70456; (985) 748-3009.

American saddle horse, wh., 8 yr. geld., very smooth gait, very gentle, 15.2 hands, \$2200. Ron Daigrepoint, Bridge City, 70094; (504) 436-7172.

Reg. TB mare, 16 hands, 7 yrs., out of Terrible Toi, by You're No Bargain, racing bred but never raced, \$900. Nelson Waguespack, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 278-3323.

(2) AQHA broodmares, (1) Freckles Playboy, Gay Bar King; (1) Hollywood Gold, Doc Quixote & bred to Bob Acre Doc son, \$1800 & \$3000. Ronald Winch, Lafayette, 70508; (337) 261-1205.

APHA grandson of Peppy San Badger, out of champ. paint mare, sorrel/wh. overo, gentle, microchipped & West Nile shots, \$800; gorgeous pair, AQHA 2001 bay fillies, by money-earning sons of Smart Peppy Doc, quiet, ready to start, \$1500/1. Romy Morvant, Thibodaux, 70301; (985) 446-0708.

AQHA bay fillies, 2 yrs., by money earning sons of Smart Peppy Doc, beautiful, sweet disp., must sell, \$1750/1 or \$3000/both; yrlg. AQHA colt, grandson of Peppy San Badger, out of champ. paint mare, gentle, \$1000 obo, to good home only. John Morvant, Thibodaux, 70301; (985) 446-0708.

1985 AQHA bay geld., calf roping horse, used in La. high school rodeos, won state 2001, consistent, \$4000. Wesley Arcement, Raceland, 70394; (985) 537-5912.

(2) Miniature pony stallions, very gentle, 2 yrs. & 3 yrs., \$250/1. Melvin Thornton, Olla, 71465; (318) 495-5661.

APHA homozygous mares, exposed to homozygous stallion, \$1995/1-up. Perry Thomassie, Gonzales, (225) 644-5381 or (225) 644-4238.

1996 APHA blk./wh. geld., 1 yr. cutting horse training, good disp., \$3000. Mitzi Thomassie, Gonzales,

70737; (225) 644-4238 or (225) 644-5382.

AQHA horses, various ages, colors & disciplines, many to choose from, all prices are nego., \$400/1-up. Veronica Songe, Raceland, 70394; (985) 665-1005 or email rockin_s_ranch@lycos.com.

4 yr. reg. QH mare, sorrel, \$1295; (3) 2 yr., sorrel fillies, \$895/1; smart, blk./wh. paint, \$850. J.L. Beasley, Baker, 70714; (225) 775-4355 or (225) 775-3362.

2003 Weans. & yrlgs., all colors & riding horses, Doc's Hickory, Doc O'Lena, Peppy San, Dry Doc, Smart Peppy's Playboy, Freckles Playboy, Peponita, Leo, Cactus Ben bloodlines, \$1000/1-up. Debra Gentile, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-9562.

2000 Reg. AQHA chestnut stallion, Doc's Peppy, Peppy San, Dry Doc, Doc's Hickory on papers, 15 hands, easy breeder, pro. trained, \$3000, obo. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-9562.

Red dun mare, team sorting, team penning or pasture roping, Clark's Red Ant breeding, very nice, \$3500. Laurie Landry, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

Belgian Mule, 12 yrs., 1300 lbs., pulls wagon, been on several trail rides, needs work, know mule's history, \$1250. Claude & Tracy Brock, Greensburg, 70441; (225) 222-3482.

8 mo. buckskin colt, out of reg. buckskin roping mare, gentle, leads, no papers, \$700; sorrel yrlg. colt, own daughter of Cactus Ben & Ike's King Leo, 100% foundation, gentle, leads, \$1500. Irv Keller, Covington, 70435; (985) 893-5324.

QH mare, 19 yrs., heading, heeling & breakaway, excel. for beginner, \$3500. Tina Drost, Singer, 70660; (337) 786-4042.

1999 & 2000 golden Palomino gelds., \$2500/1-up; yrlgs., \$1000/1-up, all cutting bred, all gentle. Brian Johnson, St. Landry, 71367; (318) 838-2919 or (318) 447-2919.

Double reg. blk./wh. gaited stud, 6 yrs., proven sire, hip injury prevents showing, sweet natured, easy breeder, saddle work started, breeding & pleasure only, \$1200. Donovan Stoute, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 585-8046 or (337) 942-0251.

Double reg. purebred Arabian stallions, mares, colts, & fillies, Egyptian/Spanish bloodstock, Ibn Halima, Morafic, Kabull, Barich de Washoe bloodlines, \$1500/up. Jeff Dupre, Washington, 70589; (337) 585-2642.

1998 AQHA sorrel geld., The Ole Man, Three Bars bloodlines, 15.2 hands, no vices, good all around prospect, \$2700. Randy Hymel, Reserve, 70084; (985) 479-3692.

1995 AQHA dark bay geld., 15 hands, grandson of Peppy San Badger, great handle, good cow horse, \$3000. Charles Simoneaux, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-4630.

AQHA sorrel mare, 5 yrs., beautiful conform., great trail horse, \$1500. Kathy Simoneaux, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-4630.

AQHA proven son of Special Effort fillies & colts, 1-3 yrs., out of Blondy's Dude mares, all horses

microchipped, \$750/1-up. Butch Martin, Braithwaite, 70040; (504) 682-2467.

AQHA mare, red roan, 4 yrs., Leo & King bloodlines, very friendly, great trail riding horse, \$2500. Eric or Racheal Hebert, St. Amant, 70774; (225) 675-6499.

Yrlgs., Smart Lil Lena, Colonel Freckles, Handle Bar Doc, Gay Bar King, extra fancy, great movers, awesome prospect for cutting or performance, \$1500. Kathy Simoneaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-1880.

2002 AQHA colts, Colonel Freckles-Little Peppy bloodlines, halter broke, gentle, lots of cow sense, good disp., \$900/1-up. Barrett Lyons, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 288-0887 or (337) 543-2176.

2003 AQHA colts, Colonel Freckles-Little Peppy-Puddenhead bloodlines, gentle, lots of cow sense, good disp., \$850/1-up. Daniel Lyons, Church Point, 70525; (337) 945-0364 or (337) 684-6751.

Beautiful Welsh palomino paint mare, 4 yrs., 14 hands, green broke, no beginners, great prospect for rodeo horse, tough as nails, \$1600 obo. E. O'Quinn, Iowa, 70647; (337) 588-4948.

King Ranch bred horses, high percentage Mr. San Peppy & Little Peppy, several 50% Mr. San Peppys, \$1000/1-up. Jeff Brassette, Ville Platte, 70816; (337) 224-7983.

TW, SSH filly, non reg., 1 yr., halter broke, blk./wh., well gaited, very calm, \$1100 nego.; TW, SSH geld., non reg., small horse, 3 yrs., should mature around 14-14.1 hands, grulla/wh., well gaited & started under saddle on trails, very calm, needs finishing, \$1000, firm. Brad Vidrine, Ville Platte, 70586; (318) 363-4290.

1998 AQHA own daughter of Young Gun, dam is out of Doc Sailfish & Poco Poco, 6 mos. cutting training, very showy mare, \$4000 obo. Judy Ethridge, Delta, 71233; (318) 574-4026.

Reg. '96, AQHA geld., Quilchina Bar, 90 days on cattle, gentle for youth, great handle, excel. all round working ranch horse, \$3750. Rylie Doise, Jennings, 70546; (337) 616-3288 or (337) 824-1900.

Reg. overo paint mare, 3 yrs., reg. QH mare, 2 yrs., broke to ride, \$1200/1; blue roan QH stud, no papers, \$600. Chris Plaisance, Greenwell Springs, 70739; (225) 262-0195.

1 yr., gaited stud colt, bred from saddle mare & Missouri Foxtrotter, halter broke, leads, loads easy, very gentle, \$500. Jasper Piazza, Plaucheville, 71362; (318) 922-3352.

Paints, sorrels & palominos, several to choose from, studs & mares, \$800/1-up. Colton Terrell, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-5325.

AQHA Puddenhead geld., shown in 4-H district & state, good handle, great disp., \$3500; AQHA mare, palomino paint, shown in 4-H district & state, in foal, \$2000. Melissa Henry, Patterson, 70392; (985) 395-6015.

Reg. blk. TW racking geld., 10 yrs., very gentle, no bad habits, 15 hands, easy keeper & handle,

\$1800. Don Peneguy, Big Branch, 70445; (985) 626-4525.

Reg. TW, 1 yr., dark palomino stud colt, great walk, big, excel. bloodlines, \$2000; other walkers, \$800/1-up. L.D. Spears, Dry Creek, 70637; (337) 328-7365.

Miniature horses, AMHA colts, stallions, fillies & mares, \$800/1-up. Karin Santangelo, Lakeland, 70752; (225) 627-4164 or (225) 291-9999.

APHA breeder stock mare, 8 yrs., in foal to paint, great granddaughter of Zippo Pine Bar, large horse, \$2500. Lynn Rusk, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-5658.

1994 Quarter horse geld., all around use horse, good on cattle, trail rides, very gentle, \$1200. Scott or Susie Miller, Marksville, 71351; (318) 240-7422.

1995 APHA tobiano geld., sound, good handle, nice looking, will track calves, placed & won W. Pleasure classes, \$3500. R. Perioux, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-8807.

Reg. TW blk. filly, 9 mos., very gentle, easy to handle, dam is blk. w/Shade's of Carbon, Ebony Masterpiece, Midnight Sun breeding, sire is blk./wh. w/Charley Brown breeding, \$1000, others avail. Jessica Byrd, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-1144 or (318) 335-2233.

AQHA broodmare, Three Bars, Sugar Bars, w/'03 filly out of Poco stallion, \$1800; yrlg. Welsh/Shetland colt, tri-color, very gentle, imprinted, halter broke, loads, great horse for kids, \$800. Vince Melvin, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-3005.

Reg. Peruvian paso horses, golden palomino mare, \$4000; sorrel gelding, show quality, \$4000, gray mare, great disp., \$3000. Wayne Bell, Delcambre, 70528; (337) 685-5183.

1999 sorrel, granddaughter of Ima Cool Skip, Dash for Cash, Truckle Feature, champ. bloodline & conform., '03 sorrel foal by grandson of Gay Bar King, Doc O'Lena, \$2500; blk., 2000, granddaughter of 2 Eyed Jack, Boston Mac, Windchester champ., conform., double blk., out of Poco, Te-N-Te, \$2500; blk, '96 granddaughter of Poco Terrific, Te-N-Te, Jet Chicks w/'03 red dun foal by grandson Gay Bar King, Doc O'Lena sire, \$2500. R.J. Naquin, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-2009.

Wanted: mule, must be tame & one that a lady can ride & pull a buggy. Jerry McInnis, Port Arthur, Texas, 77640; (409) 626-4780.

Wanted: standard or Mammoth Jack for stud, please call after dark. Tracy & Claude Brock, Greensburg, 70441; (225) 222-3482.

STALLION SERVICE

AQHA palomino, son of Gay Holly Bars, world champ. cutting horse, 4th generation palomino, throwing great colts, w/lots of color, best disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Jeff Brassette, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

Beautiful buttermilk dun, son of Count Hickory, Doc Bar, Doc O'Lena & Peppy San bred, limited breedings avail., \$400/\$5 mare care. Kevin Coates, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 461-5139.

King Ranch bred, son of Peppy San Badger, finished cutting horse, points cutting, very nice horse, \$500/\$5 mare care. Ronald Brassette, Bunkie, 70586; (337) 461-2674.

Arabians, Straight Spanish, champ. bloodline, gray but produces color, extremely long neck, foal to show; Egyptian, snow white, extremely typey, sires exotic foals, past winner of Most Classic Arabian, both 15+ hands, Arabian mares \$600/others nego. F. Larry Martinez, Port Barre, 70577; (337) 585-6969.

APHA homozygous blk./wh. stallion, '98 Miss. grand champ. in halter, guaranteed paint, good conf., \$250/\$5 mare care. Perry Thomassie, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-5381 or (225) 644-4238.

1998 Palomino stallion, Doc Bar bred, 15.3 hands, 90% foundation, 3rd generation delute gene, produced 100% delute color for 2002, exceptional disp. & conform., \$350/\$5 mare care. Mike Vidal, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4151.

AQHA palomino stud, Sport Model breeding, gorgeous head, produces tanks w/color, come & see his babies, \$500/\$5 mare care. Jane Vidal, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4151.

1995 APHA blk./wh., tobiano/overo, prof. trained for W. Pleasure, gorgeous head, w/outstanding disp., \$250/\$5 mare care. Jane West, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4151.

1986 blk. AQHA, grandson of Easy Jet by Angel's Jet Rail, 16.5 hands, 1350 lbs., excel. conform. & disp., listed LQHBA, APHC & APHA, \$300/\$5 mare care. Lee Roy Dugas, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-0103.

AQHA brown bay, Peppy San Badger, Miss Santana Doc, Pudden Head Doc, heavy muscled, all around ranch work, sorting & roping, \$350/\$7 mare care. James Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

AQHA gray, Doc's Hickory, Dry Doc, Mr. San Peppy, Right This Minnick, Colonel Freckles, large frame, good bone, lots of athletic ability, first breeding season, \$350/\$7 mare care. Lanie Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

1983 AQHA sorrel, son of Doc's Lynx, out of a daughter of Snippy San, brother to Mr. San Peppy, foundation breeding in cutting, finish cutter, \$650/\$7 mare care. Tyler Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

AQHA dark sorrel, Eatn Out, Doc Hickory, Bob Acre Doc, Poco Josie Bueno, cutting bred, quick & athletic, second breeding year, \$450/\$7 mare care. Joe Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

Reg. TW stallion, palomino & wh., his sire is homozygous, 15.1 hands, calm, gentle, good conform. & disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Melissa Briley, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Reg. blk. TW stallion, by Star's All American & Shades of Carbon,

1200 lbs., 14.3 hands, good conform., \$200/\$5 mare care. John Duplechin, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Reg. homozygous TW stallion, chestnut/wh. tobiano, by Battle Colors & Paints Moon Man, 15.3 hands, guaranteed paint, beautiful & great disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Patrice Montgomery, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Beautiful reg. blk./wh. tobiano TW stallion, homozygous from both sire & dam, 15.1 hands, very beautiful, excel. conform. & disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Jim Briley, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Reg. homozygous TW stallion, blk./wh. tobiano, by Pride's Deater & Tux Time, 17 hands, gentle, great disp., \$300/\$5 mare care. Cody Briley, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Reg. QH stallion, bay/wh. tobiano, by Shonie T-Bar & Tinky Sugar Bar, comes out of 14 tobianos, 15.2 hands, 50/50 in color, \$200/\$5 mare care. Bill Montgomery, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8578.

Reg. TW, tobiano blk./wh. paint, good conform. & disp., Rock-n-Roll Star bloodline, excel. gait, \$200/\$4 mare care. Paul Broussard, Broussard, 70518; (337) 837-1368 or email Jtwh1@cs.com.

AQHA bay stallion, Caddo Creek Quixote NCHA 10,000 novice world champ. stallion, LTE \$30,000, Doc Quixote & Doc Hickory, \$1000/\$5 mare care. Terry Miller, Bunkie, 71322; (318) 346-9280.

AQHA chestnut stallion, 4 yrs., son of Doc Sugs Model, grandson to Doc Sug, Doc Bar & Sir Quincy Dan, \$350/\$5 mare care. Robbie Guidroz, Bueche, 70720; (225) 921-9958.

Palomino stallion by Peppy's Boy 895, out of a producing daughter of Maxi Lena, \$400/\$5-\$7 mare care, includes chute fee. Romy Morvant, Thibodaux, 70301; (985) 446-0708.

1998 Palomino, pro trained, Dry Doc, Doc Bar, Poco Lena, Wimpy, Poco Dell, Leo, Go Dick Go, Skipa-W, \$400/\$4 mare care. Dean Gentile, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-9562.

APHA palomino homozygous tobiano, very athletic, heavy build, Silky McTavish, Sure B Uno, Vaughan's Cadillac bloodline, IAHA sweep. nominated sire, \$400/\$5 mare care. E. O'Quinn, Iowa, 70647; (337) 588-4948.

Cremello QH, reg. APHA, siring buckskin & palominos from colored mares, Dash For Cash, Go Man Go, Zan Parr Bar, Doc O'Lena & many more, IAHA sweep. nominated sire, \$400/\$5 mare care. Lisa Lyon, Welsh, 70591; (337) 753-2590.

Smart Zan Lena own son of Smart Lil Lena, 743000, out of Smarkle Suzanna, 3x world champ., \$75,000 LTE, athletic as they come, \$750/\$8 mare care. Kevin Simoneaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-1880.

Blk./wh. Appaloosa Cooterville Echohawk, Geronimo, Wapiti, Mansfield Comanche, Puddenhead,

King, P-234, \$200/\$3 mare care. Hermina Gautreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-8457.

AQHA palomino, Doc Bar, Peppy San, Puddenhead Barpass Myers, King P-234, \$350/\$3 mare care. Earlin Gautreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-8457.

AQHA palomino stallion, sire is Mr. Golden Dish, Artic Blizzard, dam is Skipas Foxy Lena, Fox Quest, \$250/\$6 mare care. Charles L. Seal, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 748-8572.

App. stallion Leopard, Too Tough & Goer, state champ. & top 10 world, \$250/\$4 mare care. Irvin Bell, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-2559.

Reg. Arabian wh. stallion, 6 yrs., Egyptian/Spanish bloodlines, Double Ibn Moniet El Nefous breeding, sweet disp., \$500, this year only; reg. 2 yr. Arabian mahogany bay stallion, state futurity winner, well built, prospects in W. Pleasure & reining, Ansata Ibn, Halima, \$500, this year only. Lisa Williams, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 739-0892.

Reg. Arabian gray stallion, 3 yrs., '01 & '02 state futurity winner, fine bone, sweet disp., Morafic Babson, Mersianin, Bask bloodlines, first season, \$500, this year only. Paul Williams, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 739-0892.

Reg. Arabian wh. Egyptian stallion, 15 yrs., sweet disp., dbn Halima, Morafic & Babson bloodlines, produces mostly wh. foals, \$1000, purebreds; \$500, non-purebreds. Casey Williams, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 739-0892.

AQHA palomino stallion off Smart Little Lena, Doc O'Lena, Colonel Freckles, Dry Doc, Vegas Model, very gentle, stud colts, 75% color, \$400/\$3 mare care. Robert Granger, Jr., Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 687-9430.

AQHA bay stallion, hard to find, King Ranch branded, own son of Dry Doc by an own daughter of Little Peppy, \$500/\$3 mare care. Mary Granger, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 687-9430.

Reg. TW, 15 hands, 3 yr., beautiful chestnut, w/blonde mane, natural gaited, gentle, excel. conform. & disp., \$150/\$5 mare care. Betty Stockman, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-2967.

Reg. TW, 15.2 hands, handles well, natural gaited, copper color, fast & smooth, good conform., \$150/\$5 mare care. Tommy Stockman, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-2967.

Wanted: gaited standard or Mammoth Jack for stud. Larry Gorum, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-9303.

SHEEP & GOATS

Reg. Katahdin male sheep, 3 yrs., \$250. Wayne Plauche, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-0534.

Fb Boer billy, w/papers, \$400; percentage nannies & billies, \$75/1-up. Rachel Fabacher, Duson, 70529; (337) 216-9546.

Katahdin & Dorper mix males & females, 16 to choose from, all

from 100% Katahdin mothers, \$50-\$75/1. John Sillers, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-5113.

IFGA Fainting goats, male & female, \$50/1-up. Norris Graves, Bogalusa, 70427; (985) 735-1816.

Reg. St. Croix rams, all white hair sheep, best meat breed, cross w/wooled sheep to make cross breeds that don't need shearing, \$100/1-up. Jeff Kuehny, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-8585.

4-H resale 5/8 Boer wether goat 85#, 1 yr., no horns, very tame, \$100; 2 yr., 5/8 Boer doe, no horns, \$75. R. Richard, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-6264.

Reg. Boer billy, 2 yrs., \$300. Koby Fontenot, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-4343.

(1) male, (1) female pygmy goats, \$125/all, w/male kid. E. J. Johnson, Bunkie, 71322; (318) 346-6789.

Pygmy goats, grown & babies, \$65/1-up. Henry Binning, Mansfield, 71052; (318) 872-0840.

Pygmy goat male, \$45/1; Nubian wether, \$40/1. Ronald Saccaro, Baton Rouge, 70818; (225) 261-3832.

Reg. Nigerian Dwarf goat kids, male, \$75; great pets and/or breeding stock, Nigerian Dwarf/African Pygmy cross kids, females, \$100; males, \$50. Debby Sharbaugh, Ethel, 70722; (225) 683-4919 or (225) 937-0540.

(5) young brush goats, tame, kept under fence, \$150/all. E. J. Flanagan, Hammond, 70403; (985) 345-1498.

Reg. Boer billy, 100%, kids to show, \$350; % Boer nannies, some bred, \$75/1-up. R. LaBorde, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4566.

Buck goat kid, diary breed, blk./wh. spotted, excel. milking line, \$40. Donna Vincent, Erath, 70533; (337) 937-0768.

½ Boer nannies, \$50/1; 100% proven fb billy, \$300; kids, wethers & nannies, \$50/1-up. Glenn Austin, Winnfield, 71483; (318) 628-2175.

LIVESTOCK DOGS

Only trained farm stockdogs or offspring from trained stockdogs are eligible to be advertised. Include dog's breeding and special training or ability that qualifies it as a stockdog. A signed statement must accompany each notice indicating these facts, before the ad can be published.

NALC Catahoula pups, born 12/12/02, lots of color, glass eyes, must see, \$50-\$75/1. Dwayne Deshotel, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-9885 or (337) 658-0237.

Reg. Australian Shepherd pups, reds only, \$200/1. Linda Latilais, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 667-2709.

AKC Chocolate Lab pups, championship pedigree, parents proven hunters, parents of a cert. big, block heads & bodies, wormed, shots & dew claws removed, del. & references avail., \$300/1. Donna Travis, DeRidder, 70634; (337) 463-9883 or (337) 540-2384.

Pb Border Collie pups, blk./wh. well colored, vacc., wormed, born

2/13/03, father & mother good working dogs on farm, \$100/1. Danny Kingan, Pitkin, 70656; (318) 634-5383.

AKC reg. Great Pyrenees pups, DNA typed, born 2/14/03, (6) males, (4) females, wh. & badger, markings, shots & wormed, raised w/poultry, \$250/1. Glenn L. Savoie, Sunset, 70584; (337) 668-4526. (after 9 p.m.)

Double reg., ABC & United K-9 reg. Border Collie pups, red/wh. & blk./wh., parents work cattle on premises, health guaranteed, first shots & dewormed, born 2/5/03, \$200/1. T. J. Creamer, Houma, 70364; (985) 873-9755.

NSDR Australian Shepherd pups, (4) males, (1) female, (3) merles, (1) red merle and (1) blk. tri, 6 wks., first shots & wormed, \$175/1. Shirley B., Labadieville, 70372; (985) 526-8890.

AKC reg. Golden retriever pups, ready now, parents on site, \$250/1. Karen Pavy, Port Barre, 70577; (337) 585-2343.

CKC Great Pyrenees pups, born 12/20/02, great working livestock dog or great pet, run w/goats, sheep, & hogs, parents on premises, \$250. Cindy Smith, Bogalusa, 70427; (985) 735-9671.

SWINE

Feeder/wean. pigs, weaning to 200 lbs., \$35/1-up, corn fed on concrete. J. B. Richard, Scott, 70583; (337) 269-1755.

Feeder pigs, \$35/1-up; #1 hogs, 200-240 lbs., \$96/1-up; pot bellied pigs, \$35/1. Cindy Smith, Bogalusa, 70427; (985) 735-9671.

Rare breed reg. large blk. pigs, \$200/1; others, \$35/1-up; cross-breed, ½ large blk. & Yorkshire. Oliver Strain, Bush, 70431; (985) 886-9900.

DOMESTIC BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

Pair Quaker parrots, approx. 2 yrs., \$75/pr. Robert Legendre, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-5923.

Diamond doves, \$15/1; rice birds, \$20/1; spice finch, \$10/1; African silver bills, \$10/1; societies, \$5/1; zebra finch, \$5/1. Donald Jacob, Laplace, 70068; (985) 652-6614.

Peach-faced lovebird babies, \$20/1 or \$15/2 or more. Leon Boudreaux, Jeanerette, 70544; (337) 276-6164.

Cockatiels, hf, \$35/1-up; pb, peach-faced lovebirds, lutino female & violet male, \$40/pr.; 1 yr., B & G macaw, tame, \$1500, w/cage & toys. Mary Vidrine, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-1163.

Breeder male citron cockatoo, \$450; baby moluccan, red lories, hf, \$250. Gerard Peytavin, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-3322.

Moluccan male cockatoo breeder, \$600, not aggressive, calm, baby Ecletus, \$650, weaned, others. G. Carrier, Port Barre, 70577;

(337) 585-7145 or email, Birdman@eatel.net.

Large American incubator for ratite eggs, \$1000 obo; GFQ incubator, \$200. Sue Dumatrait, Lake Charles, 70607; (337) 477-6177.

HF DYH Amazon, 9 mos., \$750, blue-front Amazon, 9 mos., \$650; Alexandrian ringneck babies, \$325; Indian ringneck babies, \$100/1-up; jenday conures, 1 yr., \$225. Louis Pennison, Morgan City, 70380; (985) 631-2368.

Hf baby ringnecks, \$150/1; nanday conures, \$200/pr.; cockatiels, \$30/1; parakeets, \$10/1; lovebirds, \$30/1; Congo African gray, \$700/1. Clara Broussard, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6745.

Lovebird & parakeet nest boxes, approx. (80), 6"x6", never used, \$10/1, or trade for breeders or babies cut of the nest, no trades for parakeets. Dana Cavalier, Pierre Part, 70339; (985) 252-6201.

Cockatiels, \$25/1, must sell, not home enough to maintain cage. Tracy Bonaventure, Greensburg, 70441; (225) 222-3482.

Indian ringneck parakeets, '02 hatch, violet, dark-green/blue, turquoise, gray, lacewings, greens split to various mutations, a few mature birds avail., \$50-\$2500/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

Lovebirds, \$20/1; parakeets, \$8/1. Warren Oubre, Litcher, 70071; (225) 869-3656.

Ringneck doves, normals & whites, \$7.5-\$10/1; proven mated prs., \$25-\$40/pr., will ship, Thomas Rowell, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-5729.

Orange-faced, lovebirds, lutinos, olives, normals, cinns., \$30-\$60; reface, white-faced & many other mutations, \$20-\$50. Dale Landry, Paincourtville, 70391; (985) 369-6952.

Pair little corella cockatoo, bared eye, \$900/pr. cockatiels, some out of show stock, \$25/1-up. Terry Perez, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-5016, email tbirds@mobiletel.com.

Wanted: quantity of white ringneck doves, please give number avail. & price per bird. Thomas Rowell, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-5729.

Wanted: Quaker parrots in Jefferson Parish area, young/handfed. Gasper Gilardi, Harahan, 70123; (504) 738-1415.

PIGEONS

(30) White king mix pigeons, \$3/1. Elvin Lafleur, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-2079.

Janssen homing pigeons, \$4/1 or \$3/1, if (20) or more taken. Bob Martin, Pineville, 71360; (318) 640-5019.

Birmingham rollers, \$3/1. Alex Joshua, West Monroe, 71292; (318) 644-5276.

Mondains, gross show mated pairs, \$25; singles, \$7/1; colors: brown, blk. spotted, wh. spotted, all mated pairs are working, leave message. Randall Baker, Kinder, 70648; (337) 738-2921.

POULTRY, FOWL & EGGS

Wild type muscovy, \$15/1; wild type mallards, \$10/1; eggs, \$6/doz. Cyrus Sevin Sr., Houma, 70363; (985) 580-4728.

Baby pharaoh & Manchurian golden quails, 25¢/1; full grown, \$1.5-\$2. P. Arnold, Cecilia, 70521; (337) 667-6632.

Bantam chicks, \$1.5/1-up. Ron Daigrepoint, Bridge City, 70094; (504) 436-7172.

Super large quail hatching eggs, \$25/100, plus \$12 S&H; live birds, 75¢/1-up; dressed quail, \$23/doz.; pickled eggs, \$4/pint. G. R. Chauvin, Schriever, 70395; (985) 448-3360.

Royal palm gobblers, \$25/1; Rhode Island red, laying hens, \$10/1; roosters, \$7/1; barred rock roosters, \$7/1, will make deal for all. Scott Troxclair, Tickfaw, 70466; (985) 542-6975.

Red jungle fowl roosters, pb, \$10/1; silkies x jf roosters, \$6/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

Splash, whites, blk., red, pyle, old English, mottled, cochin bantams, \$25/pr. Leo Palmisano, Belle Chasse, 70037; (504) 656-2058.

Pb bantams, 5 kinds, \$2/1-up; bantam eggs, \$6/doz.; red jungle fowl, \$4/1. Hubert Soileau, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-1490.

Pb golden seabright bantams, 2002 hatch, \$10/pr., hens laying. Malone R. Williams, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-2149.

(1) Trio white Japanese silkies, \$15; (1) silkie splash/partridge rooster & (1) partridge hen, \$10. Marsha Kemp, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-7035.

Pharaoh XL jumbo quail eggs, 10¢/1; pickling eggs, 5¢/1; chicks, 50¢/1; breeders, \$1.75/1; dressed birds, \$22/doz. Jerry Laneaux, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7201.

(2) Female blk. neck swans, hatched late 2000, \$700/1. Ray Desjardins, Baton Rouge, 70810; (225) 753-7054.

Now accepting orders for Eastern wild turkeys, avail. July 1, limited supply, \$35-\$50. E.D. "Doc" Lanier, Youngsville, 70592; (337) 856-5456.

White call ducks, \$100/1 grown; dark cornish bantams, \$25/trio. Robert Brunet, Oak Dale, 71463; (318) 335-3930.

Baby chicks, \$1/1; turkeys, \$25/1; geese, \$25/1; chickens, \$7/1; doves, \$10/1. Henry Binning, Mansfield, 71052; (318) 872-0840.

Bantam & game chickens, some pure bred & some mixed, lots to choose from, \$3/1 or trade for mallard ducks. Chantell Fabre, French Settlement, 70733; (225) 698-9618.

Fresh yard eggs, \$1/doz. Ed Martin, Prairieville, 70769; (225) 673-2548.

Silkie setting hens, \$8/1; bantam roosters, blk. cochin, partridge cochin, mille fleur, porcelain, \$6/1. Wayne Soileau, Washington, 70589; (337) 826-3253.

Wanted: chuckar, eggs, chicks

or adults. Jerry Laneaux, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7201.

Wanted: miniature dark Cornish hens & roosters. Norman Ordonaux, Lake Arthur, 70549; (337) 774-2641.

Wanted: bird feather picker, working cond. or not, w/or w/o motor. Mark Loup, Reserve, 70084; (985) 536-2742.

DEER & EXOTICS

(8) Buffalo yrlegs. & 2 yrs., (6) heifers, (2) bulls, \$330-\$550 or \$3000/all. Ed Durr, Jr., Amite, 70422; (985) 748-5556.

Rocky Mt. elk, 8 mos.-9 yrs., \$1000-\$2000. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold, 71068; (318) 894-9586.

Rocky Mt. elk, 10 mos.-8 yrs., \$1000/1. Dillard Sikes, Minden, 71055; (318) 371-1523.

Bucks, bred does & yrlegs. for sale or trade, \$300/1-up. Jerry Sullivan, Castor, 71016; (318) 544-8837 or (337) 544-8712.

Trophy elk, \$1000/1-up; trophy fallow deer, \$500/1; water buffalo bull, 2000 lbs., \$1000. Herbert LeJeune, Oakdale, 71463; (337) 639-2953.

AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

Bass, 60¢/1; bluegill, 20¢/1; crappie, 30¢/1; Chinquapin, 30¢/1; catfish, 20¢/1; hybrids, 25¢/1; carp, \$9/1; minnows, \$8/1 lb., del. avail. Frank Book, Shreveport, 71107; (318) 929-4251.

Channel catfish, 20¢/1; bluegill, 20¢/1; Chinquapin, 25¢/1; bass, 50¢/1; koi, 50¢/1; hybrid bluegill, 25¢/1, del. avail. David Lowe, Minden, 71055; (318) 377-1525.

6' centrifugal pump, mounted on pipe rack, w/20 hp 3-phase motor, approx., 1000-gal. per minute, \$1500. Chad Peloquin, Kinder, 70648; (337) 738-4224.

RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

Commercial New Zealand, FR-1000's, fryers to breeders, \$5/1-up. Leon Boudreaux, Jeanerette, 70544; (337) 276-6164.

Mini Rex, Holland lop, mini lop, show or pet breed does & champ. bucks. avail., \$25/1-up, cages, \$10/1, hole feeder/water. Matt Bordelon, Bunkie, 71322; (318) 346-4003.

Selling out, (4) English lops, (3) Holland lops, (8) Jersey woolys, (9) mini rex, (1) Flemish giant, (1) Californian, \$700/all, will separate. Karen Moses, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-3147.

Rabbitary selling out, New Zealand & California mix, New Zealand, Satin breeding does, \$15/1; San Juan & Logouder breeding does, \$15/1; cages, like new, \$15/ hole & older cages,

\$10/hole; cages sold w/waters & feeders. Carol Kimball, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 647-0243.

Ped. Flemish giants, 5 wks., \$30/1; non ped. Flemish giants, checkered giants, Californians, NZW, Chinchilla giants, French lops 6-8 wks., \$7/1. Charles Millet, Morganza, 70759; (225) 694-3962.

San Juans, Florida cottontails, crosses, \$5/1-up, other breeds, \$5/1-up; new wire cages, \$15/1-up. Ishreal Thibodeaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-7726.

Ped. Californians, show stock, breeding age bucks & does, \$20/1-up. Koby Fontenot, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-4343.

Rex rabbits, all sizes & colors, \$10/1-up; cages, \$10/1, 1 hole; feeder & water, \$2-4/1. Tom Odom, Dubach, 71235; (318) 254-0133.

Pedigree Flemish giant-sandy, off show stock, \$50. Gary L. McClure, Jackson, 70748; (225) 654-6877.

Wanted: rabbits, preferably New Zealand, California, & mix breeds, 8 lbs. & up. Wade Rodi, Braithwaite, 70040; (504) 682-0726.

BEES/HONEY

Complete beekeeping operation, (4) hives, no bees, (2) extractors, lots of equipment & materials, too much to list, \$1100. Carl Reece, Gilliam, 71029; (318) 222-8400.

RURAL PROPERTIES

Must offer ten (10) or more adjoining acres of land located in Louisiana. Farmland ads MUST include accompaniments (house, barn, hay field, garden, and what the land is best suited for). Proof of ownership may be required. All ads MUST be accompanied by the following owner-signed statement: "This property is personally owned by me and is not offered for sale by a licensed real estate dealer, broker or salesman."

St. Tammany Parish, 19.5 acres, w/(3)-acre stocked lake, w/Florida hybrid bass, crappie & google eye perch, (3) story home, fabulous, \$270,000. John Ernst, Jr., Mandeville, 70471; (985) 892-9723.

Acadia Parish, 40 acres, 3/2 brick home, w/rental, easy access to I-10, \$350,000. B. Mier, Lafayette, 70506; (337) 984-4985.

Red River Parish, 60 acres, house, barn, improved pastures, fenced, cross fenced, \$165,000; additional 50 acres, \$65,000. David Williams, Ringgold, 71068; (318) 932-4482.

Cheneyville, Rapides Parish, Echo Rd., 115 acres, (7) levied water control structured ponds, 1200-gal./min. deep well, elec. service, hwy. accessible, excel. for hunting, crawfish, catfish, \$300,000. Vernon Traxler, Alexandria, 71301; (318) 448-3446 or (318) 448-3440.

Rapides Parish, 225 acres, brick house, pasture, (3) hay barns, steel

catch pen, 3-acre pond, possible owner financing w/substantial down payment, \$445,000. David Bodie, Alexandria, 71302; (318) 448-4178.

Wanted: 50-100 acres timberland in Southwest or West Central Louisiana. Wayne Fontenot, Orange, Texas, 77632; (409) 746-2158.

SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

Gourds, large birdhouse, dipper & cushaw, crookneck, green stripe, \$1.5/30 seeds, w/SASE. James Robin, Sr., 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, La., 70570; (337) 407-0188.

2002 Hot-Peter pepper seeds, \$1/50-seed pkt. w/SASE. Cleveland Guidry, 918 E. Ash St., Crowley, La, 70526; (337) 783-2042.

Yellow & purple dbl. bush datura, new Texas red star, Peter pepper, birdseye pepper, \$1.5/pkt., w/SASE; yellow & white spider lilies, \$2.5/1; post, \$3/1. Morris Collura, 3237 Louisiana Ave., Lake Charles, 70601; (337) 478-7075.

Daylilies, going out of business sale, \$6000/all. Billie Johnson, West Monroe, 71292; (318) 325-3987 or (318) 387-8702.

Ornamental pepper seed, variegated, medussa, purple & birdseye, \$1.5/pkt., w/SASE; large pink hibiscus seed, \$2/pkt., w/SASE; catalpa tree seed, \$2.5/pkt., w/SASE; mixed petunia seed, \$2/pkt., w/SASE. L. S. Johnson, 3216 Hwy. 172, Keatchie, LA 71046; (318) 933-8317.

Wanted: round, green eggplant seeds. G. F. Brady, Laplace, 70068; (985) 652-2480.

Wanted: onion top bulbs & used 2 gal. nursery cans, in Opelousas area. James Robin, Opelousas, 700570; (337) 407-0188.

TREES & FRUITING VINES

Live oaks, \$8/3-gal; Southern magnolia, \$5-\$15/1; Japanese plum, \$10/3-gal; Japanese yew, \$10/5 gal.; Chinese fan plum, \$10/3 gal.; Indian haw., \$8/3 gal.; amaryllis (red), \$5/1; monkey grass, \$1/3qt. James Stelly, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4528.

Pecan trees, Elliott, 2 yrs., 10 gal., \$30; Shumard oak, 4 yrs., 15 gal., \$35; river birch, 3 gal., \$6. James Robin, Sr., Opelousas, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

Fig trees, 2 yrs., 2 gal., \$9.5, (8) varieties, SASE for list. Betty Robin, 4017 Hwy. 357, Opelousas, LA, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

Mayhaw trees, lrg. fruiting varieties, Mexican plum, red mulberry, Chickasaw plum, crabapple, catalpa, native magnolia, burr oak, \$7-\$25/1. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

Celeste figs, \$6/1; honey dew figs, \$6/1; white cling & yellow

freestone peach, \$5/1-up; chinaberry, \$10/1; camphor trees, \$2-\$8/1. Morris Collura, Lake Charles, 70601; (337) 478-7075.

Cypress trees, 3'-5', \$8/1. D. Bordelon, Ponchatoula, 70454; (985) 345-4280.

Wanted: banana trees, any size, will dig. Tim Lupkin, Covington, 70434; (985) 429-9227.

HAY & GRAIN

(315) 1000 lb. bales of rye grass hay, \$16-\$18/bale, will load. Bobby Stewart, Leesville, 71446; (337) 239-2878.

(200) 4' x 5' round bales, Bahia & Bermuda, 2002, barn stored, will load, \$25/1. Warren Smith, DeRidder, 70634; (337) 463-8593.

4' x 5' rolls Bahia hay, heavy fert., no rain, no weeds, under barn, del. avail., \$30/1; outside, \$25/1. Joe Pieri, Folsom, (985) 796-9538 or (504) 628-5361.

May 2003, orders being taken now for round bales of Alicia/Bahia/Tifton 44, \$27.5 - \$55/1. Wayne Ward, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-9913 or (318) 471-9273.

Mixed grass hay, fert. & cured, w/out rain, \$1.5/1, you load, 50 or more per sale, no broken bales, from large barn loft. Harold Loewer, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4487.

2003 Alicia Bermuda, now taking orders, \$4/bale behind baler, we load, \$4.75/bale out of barn, 1st cutting May '03. Delos Thompson, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-9872.

Will charge nominal fee in exchange for cutting approx. 15 acres, located in Duson. S. Waguespack, III, Baton Rouge, 70817; (225) 769-2893.

5' x 5' round Bahia hay, well fert., no rain, in shed, \$35/1. Loyton Courville, Sunset, 70584; (337) 662-3758.

Kansas alfalfa hay, horse quality, \$8.5/bale, or \$8/bale if 50 or more taken. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold, 71068; (318) 894-9586.

Bermuda hay, good quality for horses, \$2.75/bale in barn; \$2.5/bale in field, 2002 hay avail., Ricky Rea, Bernice, 71222; (318) 285-7566.

FERTILIZER

Rabbit fertilizer, \$3/50 lb. sack. Leon Boudreaux, Jeanerette, 70544; (337) 276-6164.

Horse manure, \$1/all, you load. Linda Helo, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-4002.

Chicken manure, dry, in barn, \$8/ton. Larry Ponder, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3311.

Wanted: chicken manure. Alex Dominach, Mandeville, 70471; (985) 892-7047.

Questions about circulation or lost bulletins contact the Circulation Department at (225) 922-1268.

TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT

MF model 12, square baler, no outside baling, good cond., \$1200. Irv Keller, Covington, 70435; (985) 893-5324.

3 pt. disc/tiller, PTO driven, \$200; 4', 3pt. hitch, PTO tiller, good shape, \$200; 4' finishing mower, excel. cond., 3 pt. hitch, PTO driven, \$600. Wendel Henry, Patterson, 70392; (985) 395-6015.

JD, 4-row Do-Better, good cond., \$1000. Albert Meche, Church Point, 70525; (337) 668-4654.

(3) spool valve, for front loader, fits Case 580 C, D, E, K, brand new, \$450. Patrick Richmond, Glenmora, 71433; (318) 947-8090.

(2) 8.3 x 24 tractor tires, on 5-hole wheels, \$125/both; 18 hp, 1 cyl., K 361 Kohler, \$200. G. H. Bolen, Lake Charles, 70615; (337) 439-3518.

Sheet metal, for Ford 4000, 5000 or 5600 trac., left & right hood panels, radiator shell, upper & lower grilles & steering wheel, \$350/all. Sal Cali, Hammond, 70401; (985) 345-4790.

Yanmar, 21 hp diesel trac., like new, \$3395. V. R. Savoy, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 948-3347.

Allis Chalmers XT190, 125 hp, 8' front blade, rear hyd., totally rebuilt, extra tires, service manual, \$3000. J. Doherty, Covington, 70435; (985) 809-1213.

15' Bush Hog brand cutter, excel. cond., \$5500. Gary Anderson, Cloutierville, 71416; (318) 379-0980.

1715 Ford trac., 220 hrs., w/frail mower & 16' 2-axle trailer, excel. cond., \$10,000. Lennie Marks, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-7910.

JD-M trac., \$2200; Ford 8N, \$2300; Ford 9N, \$2000; Farmall-M, \$1800. Larry LaBorde, Mansura, 71350; (318) 563-4931.

8' disc on tires, ideal for 40 hp trac., \$375. Robert Broussard, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-5617.

Vermeer 504L baler, hyd. tie & bale ramp; Vermeer WR-20 wheel rake, both like new, used very little, less than 300 bales, \$14,500/both. Donald Faucheux, St. Amant, 70774; (225) 675-5368.

5610 Ford trac., w/front-end loader, 800 hrs., excel. cond., \$17,000. Don Gilbert, Winnfield, 71483; (318) 453-8947 or (318) 727-8947.

Ramey sugarcane transloader, \$5000; (2) bayou service transloader wagons, 11' compartments, \$5000/1; Littleston cult., \$3500; Rodobec excavator, grab, \$4000; Vicor RP120, round baler, \$3000. Philip Richard, Raceland, 70394; (985) 447-3213.

JD 4055, 100 hp, cab/air, loader, bucket, forks & spear, no leaks, \$23,500; Belarus 65 hp, cab/air, runs great, \$8900. Craig Girouard, Broussard, 70518; (337) 837-4709.

JD 466 round baler, 3 yrs., \$15,000. Josephine Capdeboscq, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-4374.

5' tiller, 3 pt. hitch, PTO, very

good cond., \$4000. Doug Luke, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-0570.

3 pt. middle buster, \$80; folding loading ramp, for lawn & garden trac., 67" x 40", \$85. Russell Daigle, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 343-9032.

Farmall cub, grader blade, planter, row hillers, plow, good cond., \$2000. William Boegel, Mandeville, 70471; (985) 626-5324.

3 pt. disc, \$285; 2-row cult. frames, hyd., \$150; gin pole, \$100; 1-row tool bar, \$100; front wheel for 8N, \$25. F. A. Andries, Pollock, 71467; (318) 765-9260.

424 Farmall, diesel, 40 hp, good cond., \$5000; new butane heater, 6 burner, \$320. Donald Burley, Monterey, 71354; (318) 386-2212.

Ford 2600, diesel, 40 hp, 1980, sun top & roll-bar, 5' King Kutter bush hog, excel. cond., \$6000; 6' refinished bush hog, excel. cond., \$400. Robbie Guidroz, Bueche, 70720; (225) 921-9958.

Bush hog, 7' new blade, quick hitch, \$600; Amco 8-row hipper, quick hitch, \$1200; JD, 4-row 246 bean planter, 3 pt. hitch, \$100. H. C. Boone, Jr., Lecompte, 71346; (318) 776-9458.

605C baler, good cond., field ready, \$1250; 8' Vicor cutter, good cond., \$2250; 18', 8-wheel Vicor rake, 3 pt. hookup, like new, \$1700. Paul Guillory, Lecompte, 71346; (318) 748-6475.

Allis Chalmers XT 190, w/8' front blade, 125 hp, rear hyd., extra tires, totally rebuilt, svc. manual, \$3000. J. Doherty, Covington, 70435; (985) 809-1213.

5' bush hog, \$300; 110-gal. diesel tank, \$100; 12', 3 pt. hitch, chisel, \$400. R. T. Faulk, Monroe, 71201; (318) 325-1685.

Case Int. 1494 cab/air, \$9500; Cat 941 track, front-end loader, \$7500; Bob Cat 853, w/forks, \$7500; 10' Bush Hog brand cutter, \$2000; (2) 16-8-30 R1 tires, \$250. Barry Smiley, Duplessis, 70728; (225) 622-4563.

1999 Long square baler, very low hrs., excel. like new cond., barn kept, \$7000. Matt Parker, New Llano, 71461; (337) 535-4968.

NH 630 baler, NH 462 cutter, 12' wheel rake & 12' hay fluffer, \$11,000/all. Ricky Urban, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-6197.

Super A Farmall, w/garden tools, very good, \$3500; IH 300, utility trac., gas, 40 hp, 3 pt. hitch, \$1200; 10' chisel plow, \$170; 7' loader bucket, \$220. Marlon Bell, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4063.

Rayne Plane CW 41, land leveler, \$8500; Rayne Plane, 6 yard, dirt pan, \$4800; 8' land grader, \$2450; 14' JD bush hog, \$3950; IH 1066 trac., \$5500. John Lee, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 276-6230 or (337) 369-7421.

Discs, \$350; hipers, \$300; planters, \$300; rotary hoe, \$200; cult., \$175; rolling cult., \$200, all equipment is 4-row. David Bodie, Alexandria, 71302; (318) 448-4178.

KR 150 Krone, round baler, 4'x5' bales, field ready, \$2500 obo; Speery New Holland, 5' disc hay cutter, \$1000. Mark Bonner, Pollock, 71467; (318) 640-6637.

30' Vibrashank, new hyd. ram, new hoses, \$1500. Justin Bruce,

Ragley, 70657; (337) 725-6806 or (337) 661-1123.

Ford 8 end trac., runs but needs work, \$1000. Murphy Broussard, Sunset, 70584; (337) 662-3177.

Int. 364, 34 hp trac., good cond., 7' Sidewinder bush hog, \$5500. Joey Zito, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 665-7919.

JD 6000 sprayer, 60' boom, cushion front wheel, tow bar, \$12,000. Walter Vanderlick, Alexandria, 71303; (318) 443-3171.

JD 4960 trac., 5100 hrs., clean, new tires, \$39,500; JD 2440 trac., 55 hp, diesel, \$6950; IH 454, 42 hp, diesel, \$5500; JD, 14' bush hog, \$3750; 41' CW 41 Rayne Plane land leveler, \$8500. J. L. Olivier, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 276-3453.

7720 JD combine, w/18' header, \$13,000; 24' vibra shanks, \$13,000; rice cart, \$500. C. Adam, Kaplan, 70548; (337) 783-5077.

JD 310 B, backhoe 1995, \$22,000 nego. Lucinda Feucht, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-8750.

350 JD dozer, diesel engine, 6-way blade, auto shuttle, looks, runs & operates good, \$8500; 450 Case dozer, diesel engine, 6-way blade, auto shuttle, good undercarriage, looks & operates good, \$13,000. Ronald Sharp, Springfield, 70462; (225) 695-3627.

605 A Vermeer baler, \$750; 282 NH baler, for parts, \$150. Roger Wilson, Coushatta, 71019; (318) 932-8912.

ROPS fiberglass canopy, brand new, off Mahindra, 55 hp trac., \$165. William Dart, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-5106 or (225) 683-8049.

6-row Bridger planters, disc openers, wide press wheel, w/spray, \$400; 6-row JD RM cult., fenders & mounted over head spray tank, \$350; 6-row Lilliston rolling cult., \$500. Percell Green, Jr., Rayville, 71269; (318) 728-6966.

NH 850 round hay baler, manual tie, excel. cond., field ready, w/new chains, \$1000, obo. C.E. Unsworth, Doyline, 71023; (318) 745-2144.

JD 6600 diesel combine, w/216 flex header, good cond., \$4000 obo. Carrol Lavergne, Opelousas, 70570; (377) 942-7238.

JD 9910 cotton picker, good shape, \$3500; 6-row crop maker, w/spray, \$300; JD 95R combine, \$400; 6-row lay-by sprayer, \$100. Judy Green, Rayville, 71269; (318) 728-6966.

(2) 200 hp Komatsu diesel engines, \$750/both; 1586 trac., \$800; Int. 1066 trac., \$3500. Erne Plessala, Jr., New Iberia, 70563; (337) 229-8409.

Side-mount alum. tanks & rack, S & N, 120 gal., \$200/1; front mount tank & rack, 300 gal., poly, \$200. Russell Deselle, Bunkie, 71322; (318) 346-6181.

240 MF, diesel, 40 hp, like new, \$10,500; 2-row cult, ideal for garden, pulled by trac., \$250. Ernest Webb, Choudrant, 71227; (318) 768-2685.

1944 Massey Harris 101, junior row crop trac., for parts or restoration, \$500, or trade for Farmall 100. T. Duke, Ruston, 71270; (318) 255-3158.

6', Big Bee brand bush hog, \$350; Antique JD, Kilefer model 506-05 tandem drag disc, \$200. K. Duke, Ruston, 71270; (318) 255-3158.

Diesel trac., 95% restored, Yanmar YM 1401, 3 cyl., 18 hp; Yanmar YM 276, 2 cyl., 30 hp; Yanmar YM 2010, 4x4, 3 cyl., 27 hp, \$3200/up. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240 or (337) 581-2568.

New 20 hp, 2 wd, diesel utility trac., 540 & 100 rpm PTO, w/canopy, \$4000. D. J. Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240 or (337) 581-2568.

1999 Krone round baler, used 3 seasons, 4'x5' rolls, like new, monitor, auto twine wrap, excel. cond., \$7500 obo. Joe Pieri, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-9538 or (504) 832-0885.

Case IH 7140, \$27,000; Case IH 5240, w/front blade & ditching blade, \$26,000; Case IH 2188 rice combine, \$55,000; Mac Don draper header, 25', w/trailer, \$10,000. Kendall Fontenot, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-0117.

505 Super I Vermeer round baler, excel. cond., kept under barn, \$5000. Lee Gremillion, Ventress, 70760; (225) 638-8135.

JD 850 trac., excel. cond., \$7600; JD 513 rotary cutter, 20 hrs., \$650; JD 272, grooming mower, no rust, completely rebuilt & painted, \$1500. Bryan Alleman, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-9322.

17 hp, Power King trac., excel. cond., mower, disc, swivel blade & middle buster, 3 pt. hitch, \$3000. M. Kemp, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-7035.

JD, 8', 2-way chopper, \$1000; NH, PTO driven, 3 pt. hitch, hay rake, \$300. Maxie Roy, Jr., Centerville, 70522; (337) 836-9472.

JD 1070 front-end loader, box blade & 18' trailer, \$15,000 obo. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, 70805; (225) 356-2094.

JD 4640 excel. cond., cab/air, tanks/racks/pump, p/s, quick hitch, \$16,000; 400-bushel Caldwell grain cart, \$1500; 100-bushel, Rayne Plane grain cart, \$500; (2) ditching machines, \$200; Int. 854 corn head, \$1500; W & A Do-All, 6-row, \$1500; 12-row broadcast spray rig, \$500. Dale Moreau, Port Barre, 70577; (225) 673-7979.

Kubota trac. L175, 17 hp, diesel, 1060 hrs., new tires, seat, canopy, belts, w/new, unused, bush hog, 5' finishing mower, \$5000. Ron & Laura Bearb, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-7971.

Finishing mower, 5' King Kutter, virtually new cond., less than 10 hrs., ready to cut, have all manuals, \$925. Mike Blattner, 70435; (985) 892-3980.

(10)-wheel carted JD hay rake, 6' PZ hay mower, 17' NH fluffer, 5'x6' Claas hay roller, \$7500/all. Danny Jones, Florian, 71429; (318) 586-4225.

4' King Kutter, grooming mower, great shape, used 2 yrs. & barn kept for last 3 yrs., \$600. Randy Hymel, Reserve, 70084; (985) 479-3692.

140 Int. trac., good cond., \$4000; 5' grader box, row maker, middle buster, \$1000. Billy Allen, Sr., Jackson, 70748; (225) 634-7259.

7720 JD combine, 4 wd, w/18' header, shed kept, \$7000. Chad Duhon, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-9093.

5610 S Ford '94, p/s, 2 P canopy, \$10,500; 1920 Ford '95, p/s, ROPS, excel., \$8500; 849 NH round baler, hyd. wrap, \$2495; NH 256 rake, \$450; NH 8' cutter, \$1600; 4020 JD, \$6500; 4' finish mower, \$650. R. Coldiron, Jonesville, 71343; (318) 339-7876.

Vermeer 8-wheel rake, field ready, on wheels, \$1350. Warren Smith, DeRidder, 70634; (337) 463-8593.

Case/Int. Mx 120 cab, a/c, 4 wd & dual remotes, 3200 hrs., excel. cond., \$35,000. Charlie Guidry, Maurice, 70555; (337) 893-2300.

2001 Carlton stump grinder, less than 50 hrs., cost \$24,000, sacrifice for, \$20,000. Randall Williams, Amite, 70422; (985) 747-0255.

30" turf tires, rims off 1996, 870 JD trac., 13" wide, 43" high, 8-hole, 8" pattern, \$200. W. A. Clause, Duson, 70529; (337) 289-9629.

IH 490 disc, excel. cond., \$3000; JD 15' chisel plow, w/drag harrow, \$1500; 16' Rayne Plane water leveler, like new, \$3500; JD 6620 combine, \$3500. Larry Miller, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-2754.

Case 580 backhoe, Super L 1996, w/grapple bucket, 2150 hrs., \$22,500. Michel Fox, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 369-8020.

JD 7720 combine, shed kept, 18' header, new tires, \$8000; (2) Ronoke rice carts, \$200/1; 4640 JD, dual wheel trac., power shift, shed kept, \$16,000. I. E. Dommert, Sulphur, 70665; (337) 583-7473 or (337) 583-4188.

MF 236, front-end loader, PTO pump or aux. hookup, w/new dual control valve, 6' bucket, \$1800, firm. C. A. O'Neill, Holden, 70744; (225) 777-4415.

7720 JD combine, needs minor repairs, \$8000; 4 cyl. Perkins power unit, fresh overhaul, \$4000; 4 cyl. JD power unit, \$4000; 4020 JD trac., \$8000. Reggie Hargrove, Kaplan, 70548; (337) 643-7009.

Krause 25' batwing discs, new hyd. cyl., hoses, front gangs, \$3500. Blair LeBlanc, Youngsville, 70592; (337) 857-0025.

(2) GM D66 hay mowers, (1) ready for service, the other for parts, \$1750/both; 5' heavy-duty bush hog, \$200. Kenneth Jones, Holden, 70744; (225) 686-7849.

(2) Balers, (1) Ford 532 square hay baler, (1) 532 not working, for parts, \$900/both. Delos Thompson, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-9872.

MF trac., MF-65, gas, 48 hp, remote hyd., p/s, runs good, \$3000; Case 730 diesel trac., 60 hp, p/s, runs good, \$2000. Marshall Dalgo, Plaucheville, 71362; (318) 939-2297.

Int. Cub, w/42" Woods belly mower, avg. cond., \$2150; Ford 3400, industrial diesel, 35 hp, avg. cond., w/5' bush hog cutter, \$5500. Mercer Dupree, Coushatta, 71019; (318) 932-5927.

Yanmar, 21 hp, diesel trac., like new, \$3395. V. R. Savoy, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 948-3347.

JD 12-row, narrow planter, \$4000; Lilliston, 6-row double gang rolling cult., \$800; (2) fast

hitches, \$250/1. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, 71327; (318) 876-3304. **Int. 5088** cab/air trac., 1984 model, very good cond., everything works, no leaks, \$13,000. Patrick Mille, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 571-1228.

Int. 806, L.P. fuel, under 3000 hrs., 6' bush hog, 3 pt. hitch, H/D disc, row hipers, excel. cond., \$6500. Dick Guillory, Baton Rouge, 70815; (225) 924-2252.

4' disc, w/3 pt. hitch, \$150. Lester Fuselier, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4265.

JD 5' finishing mower, 200 hrs., very good cond., \$1250, nego. Corey Suire, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 643-2509.

Trac. tire, new, 13.6, 12/36, paid, \$325 asking, \$150. Roger Hornsby, Baton Rouge, 70816; (225) 272-2522.

Wanted: 15' batwing shredder, fairly new, approx. 3-4 yrs. Loyton Courville, Sunset, 70584; (337) 662-3758.

Wanted: post hole auger, 3 pt. hitch, 6" or 9". Randy Hymel, Reserve, 70084; (985) 479-3692.

Wanted: tires, 30.5 x 32; large dozer, w/pyramid pads. Erne Plessala, Jr., New Iberia, 70563; (337) 229-8409.

Wanted: JD, single-row, corn & pea planter. T. Veillon, Lake Charles, 70605; (337) 477-9708.

Wanted: mechanical cane planter, by Louviere, front-end drum type, all hyd. Don Bergeron, Napoleonville, 70390; (985) 369-6618.

Wanted: 18.4 x 38 R2 tread, 18.4 x 34 R2 tread, trac. tires, need (2) of each; 15' batwing bush hog. Bruce Watts, Sulphur, 70665; (337) 583-4732.

Wanted: 2 wd or 4 wd, 80-120 hp, w/front-end loader, in good shape; JD, Case, Ford, MF. Weber Fontenot, Iowa, 70647; (337) 582-3491 or (337) 540-2616.

Wanted: front-end loader, to fit JD 4020, reasonable price. Clifton Wells, Ruston, 71270; (318) 255-2853.

FARM TRUCKS & RELATED PARTS

1995 Ford pick-up F-250, new mud grips, 84,000 miles, used as second vehicle, \$9500. Robert Marionneaux, Jr., Grosse Tete, 70740; (225) 637-3622.

1996 Dodge Dakota 4x4, ex-cab, auto, camper shell, V-6, 172K, \$5500. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

1990 Chevy S-10, 4x4, w/trailer hookup, V-6, auto, a/c, clean, \$3500. Ivan Labbe, Baton Rouge, 70816; (225) 752-3436.

1998 Chevy C-3500, crew cab, long bed, 350 Vortec, Silverado package, beautiful interior, single rear wheels, 75,000 miles, \$14,995. Larry Miller, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-2848.

Fiberglass sleeper, for full size p/u, trk., opens from the back or front, \$300. Ross Mule, Franklinton, 70438; (985) 839-4595.

1988 Volvo truck, w/sleeper, 9 spd., air ride, \$6000; 1973 Ford F-700, w/steel bed & box, hyd. dump, \$2000. C. Adam, Kaplan, 70548; (337) 783-5077.

1997 Lufkin flatbed, aluminum combo., spread axle, A/R, tool box, winches, 80% rubber 22.5, coil package, \$8750. Jack Hughes, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-5022 or (985) 514-0579.

1998 Tahoe 4x4, loaded, clean, LS package, light gray leather, 78,000 miles, \$15,895. Kyle Moppert, Baton Rouge, 70806; (225) 343-0867.

1991 Int., 466 DT66 engine, 7 spd. spiler trans., am/fm cassette, a/c, air ride suspension, w/32' gooseneck trailer, \$22,500. David Sibley, Pine Grove, 70453; (225) 777-4623 or (225) 777-4304.

1988 Ind. cab over truck w/timpt & hopper bottom, grain trailer, \$14,500; (2) tandem axle grain trucks, 600 BU cap., \$3000/1. Kendall Fontenot, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-0117.

619 Int. diesel, new, \$5000/obo; 1997 F-150 Ford XLT, loaded, \$8500; 1984 F-250 diesel, excel. cond., new engine, \$5000/obo. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, 70806; (225) 356-2094.

1-ton steel flatbed, for short wheelbase, w/gooseneck hookup, \$500. Philip Richard, Raceland, 70394; (985) 447-3213.

1992 F-150 long bed pick-up, auto, air, dual gas tanks, blk., 140K miles, like new cond., \$3995/obo; 1996 GMC Yukon, 4 wd, auto, a/c, new tires, 118K miles, towing package, excel. cond., \$8995/obo. Mike Barlow, Baton Rouge, 70817; (225) 752-8546.

GMC 5500, 2 1/2 ton, w/good metal grain bed, 325 bushel, excel. tires, \$2000. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, 71327; (318) 876-3304.

1980 Ford 8000 CAT, single axle, w/26' Rogers 5th wheel tilt top, both need work, \$5500/both. Keith Voth, Franklinton, 70438; (985) 839-6567.

1995 Dodge p/u, 3/4 ton, diesel, 2 wd, single cab, SLT package, \$7000. Chad Duhon, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-9093.

1983 Ford Ranger XL, diesel pick-up, runs & drives good, but needs trans. repair, great fuel saver, \$1200. T. Duke, Ruston, 71270; (318) 255-3158.

1979 R model Mack, tandem axle dump truck, good cond., runs great, on or off road work, \$5000. Bret Doiron, Galliano, 70354; (985) 665-0581.

1994 F-800 Ford truck, 8.3 cummins engine, 7 spd. trans., 98,000 actual miles & 1997 Thibbs 42' mini drop deck trailer, very clean, \$18,000. Jerry Cook, Ruston, 71270; (318) 255-2022.

1964 Ford 2-ton, w/16' flatbed & sides, \$600. Wayne Michel, Mansura, 71350; (318) 964-2986.

Steel bed, for 1-ton truck, \$500. Roger Wilson, Coushatta, 71019; (318) 932-8912.

Wanted: bed for 2500 GMC pick-up style, '95 model, fleet size, 8" long. Dickie Falgout, Ponchatoula, 70454; (985) 386-8027.

Wanted: will pick up your unwanted items for free. Chris

Plaisance, Greenwell Springs, 70739; (225) 262-0195.

Wanted: old dead Chevy trucks. Cindy Smith, Bogalusa, 70427; (985) 735-9671.

Wanted: parts F/small pick-up, w/std. trans. & 2.2 Isuzu diesel. W. Singleton, Dry Creek, 70637; (337) 639-4017.

TRAILERS, WAGONS & EQUIPMENT

Cotton trailers, 24'-32', \$100-\$400. Judy Green, Rayville, 71269; (318) 728-6966.

New, 7000 lb. axles, w/elec. brakes & 8 lugs on drum, \$250. Loyton Courville, Sunset, 70584; (337) 662-3758.

1989, 40' steel, hopper bottom grain trailer, \$10,000. Rodney Courville, Maringouin, 70757; (225) 625-3103.

(35) Cotton trailers, 8'-10' wide, 24'-40' long, for hauling hay or storing crawfish traps, good to excel. cond., del. avail., \$500-\$1450. T. L. Enright, Sicily Island, 71368; (318) 389-5395.

24' flatbed gooseneck trailer, \$3000. Kendall Fontenot, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-0117.

2002 Stock trailer, heavy-duty, 16', wide inside, bumper pull, treated flooring inside, lighting, spare tire, heavy axles, buddy bearings, \$3950. R. LaBorde, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4566.

16' gooseneck stock trailer, tandem axle, center gate, good cond., \$1500. Kevin Guillory, Bell City, 70630; (337) 622-3253.

1992 Barrett alum. (5)-horse slant stock type trailer, plexiglass for openings, front tack & separate dressing room, \$8800. Katherine Pee, Eros, 71238; (318) 249-2897.

Cattle/horse trailer, 5 1/2' x 10' single axle, \$350. Walton Thomassie, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 693-4417.

Bison stock trailer, 16', heavy-duty, swing gate & sliding door in back, middle gate & escape door on side, good shape, \$2000. Wendel Henry, Patterson, 70392; (985) 395-6015.

24' WWW gooseneck cattle trailer, new floor, good cond., \$2500. Ralph & Jane Robinson, Ida, 71044; (318) 284-3530.

CM-(2) horse slant bumper pull, fully enclosed, drop down windows on head side, bus on rear side, large dressing room & rear tack, \$2800. Ginger Emerson, Coushatta, 71019; (318) 932-6385.

19' Falcon gooseneck car hauler, dovetail, w/ramps & elec. brakes, \$1800; 24' Falcon gooseneck (2) 10K axles, flatbed trailer, elec. brakes, 10' deck over deck, (2) spare tires, & 4' side rails, \$5500. Ivan Edwards, Ringgold, 71068; (318) 894-9586.

2002 WW, red bumper pull, (2) horse trailer, w/electric brakes, rubber mats & spare tire, used once for parades, \$2200. Ron Daigrepoint, Bridge City, 70094; (504) 436-7172.

30' gooseneck horse trailer, new tires, paint, ironwork, tack room, a/c & bed, like new, must sell,

\$3000. Debbie Lofton, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-8681.

Flatbed gooseneck type trailer, 32' long, dual 7000 lb single tandem axles, w/loading ramps, less than 5000 miles, \$4500, firm. Paul Richardel, St. Joseph, 71366; (318) 341-1446.

Wanted: 18' or 20' long low boy trailer, bumper pull, 6 or 7 thousand pound axles. Loyton Courville, Sunset, 70584; (337) 662-3758.

FARM & LIVESTOCK SUPPLIES

Round pen, constructed of fiberglass material, each panel is 5' x 12', 50' pen, w/o bow gate, \$995; make as large as needed; add panels for, \$77/1. Larry Fontenot, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-0629.

Fiberglass farm gates, \$73/10', \$79/12'. Deb Fontenot, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-0629.

1994 Patriot II sprayer, w/60' booms, 2350 hrs., 110 hp, JD engine, 1986 white Volvo nurse truck, 3000-gal. water tank, 350 cummins, both in good running cond., \$30,000/both, will sell together or separate. Johnny Allenday, Lake Charles, 70605; (337) 478-6269.

Linde XR-8, liquid nitrogen refrigerator, good cond., \$400. Carol Graham, Madisonville, 70447; (985) 845-3427.

Miller Syncrowave 250, elec. welding machine, 100' of lead, HF, foot remote, \$2300. Aaron Touns, Lake Charles, 70607; (337) 474-4333.

Koch stainless steel commercial smoker; auto hog scraper, w/vat burner & auto unloader; Best Donavon carcass splitter, w/elec. hoist & disconnect; Jarvin elec. skinning knife, w/elec. hoist & disconnect, \$5000/all. Bobby Stewart, Leesville, 71446; (337) 239-2878.

Tips high pressure sand blaster, w/cougar valve, water blaster, ball bearing wheels, new, \$400, used once, \$250. Charles Williams, New Orleans, 70124; (504) 482-4990.

16" Hereford roping saddle, great cond., \$400; 15" handmade barrel racing saddle, great cond., \$300. Charles Simoneaux, Port Allen, 70729; (225) 627-4630.

16" Mike Meaux, Buster Welch tree cutting saddle, \$625. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

Sausage stuffer, cast iron hand crank, \$225/cash. Curtis Stelly, Fordoche, 70732; (225) 637-3375.

Heartwood Comm., portable bank sawmill, 2-way cut, 6" double edge blade, 80 hp, Perkins diesel portable mill, 500 hrs., \$30. Herbert LeJeune, Oakdale, 71463; (337) 639-2953.

#2 Plantation bell, cast iron, complete, 18" diameter, \$60; (3) leg 74 quart, jambalaya pot, w/cover, used, \$409. Henry Smith, Covington, 70433; (985) 892-0460.

Plantation bell, 22", \$1200; Anvil, 100 lbs, \$200; 200 lbs, \$400; Forge blower, \$75; 7 1/2' sugar kettle, old, been repaired,

\$2200. Lester Fuselier, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4265.

Bodenhamer model 450, squeeze chute, w/wheels, & palp cage, like new, paid \$3760, asking, \$3000. Bob Martin, Pineville, 71360; (318) 640-5019.

Chipmaster, Oster brand, shearing machine, variable speed, used very little, \$100; milk pasteurizer, 2-gal., like new, safe guard pressure vac. type, \$100. Charles Bordelon, Pineville, 71360; (318) 640-5019.

Western bridle, w/bit & reins, \$10; Western saddle blanket, red plaid, \$10; Australian saddle blanket, \$15; English saddle pad, wh., \$5; English seat-saver saddle cushion, blk., \$10; English safety stirrups, \$20; English standard stirrups, w/leathers, \$20; English bridle & assorted reins, \$15; English chaps, never worn, burgundy-brown leather, \$50; deluxe cribbing muzzle Best Friend brand, never used, \$40; deluxe safety halter, never used, \$20. Debby Sharbaugh, Ethel, 70722; (225) 683-4919 or (225) 937-0540.

Lincoln welding machine, 200 amp, steel bed, boxes & welding leads, F-350 Ford truck, \$5000. Raymond Burleigh, 70570; (337) 942-7005.

(400) sheets, used tin, 9' x 12', \$2-\$3/1. Freddie Benoit, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-2702.

400'-5" heavy wall pipe, \$3.5/ft., del. avail., 900 joints 3/4 sucker rods, \$8/1, or \$9/1, del. T. L. Enright, Sicily Island, 71368; (318) 389-5395.

55-gal. plastic drums, white, closed top, cut in half make excel. tubs & planters, \$10/1. E. J. Flanagan, Hammond, 70403; (985) 345-1498.

Blk. metal pipe, 1" sch. 40, 38¢/ft.; 1 1/4" sch. 40, 46¢/ft.; 1 1/2" sch. 40, 56¢/ft.; 2" sch. 40, 80¢/ft. Colton Terrell, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 514-0722.

New Corral panels, 5'x10', \$40; 4' walk-through gate, \$75; 6' walk-through gate, \$95; 50' round pen, w/4' walk-through gate, \$675. Carl Barlow, Pride, 70770; (225) 603-5610.

Metal barrels, w/locking lids, \$10/1. E. H. Welch, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-8590.

3" diesel driven water pump, runs & pumps great, \$350. Mike McDade, Broussard, 70518; (337) 364-9956.

Cattle squeeze chute, factory made, excel. cond., needs paint, \$500, or trade for horse walker, in good cond. Chris Douget, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-6763.

6.5-ton overhead crane, w/trolley & hoist, 50' long, needs work, \$2000. Robert Eames, Jr., Broussard, 70518; (337) 364-9956.

Ice machine, 1800 lbs. per day, w/large bin, all stainless, like new, \$4500, or trade for (2) smaller machines. Bobby Fanguy, Broussard, 70518; (337) 364-9956.

Auto headgate, excel. cond., hardly used, \$225. Lee Gremillion, Ventress, 70783; (225) 638-8135.

16" Billy Cook roping saddle, like new, \$600. Earl Penalber, Prairieville, 70769; (225) 622-2455.

Calf feeder, holds 7 calves, made out of heavy drill stem pipe on skids, also has a covered top, \$500. Dennis Wager, Bogalousa, 70427; (985) 735-1229 or (985) 735-9526.

Craftsman, 18 hp, 46" cut, \$1200 obo. Tony Templet, Baton Rouge, 70805; (225) 356-2094.

6' centrifugal pump, mounted on pipe rack, w/20 hp 3-phase motor, approx. 1000-gal. per minute, \$1500. Chad Peloquin, Kinder, 70648; (337) 738-4224.

16" Hereford roping saddle, great cond., \$400; 15" handmade barrel racing saddle, great cond., \$300. Charles Simoneaux, Port Allen, 70767; (225) 627-4630.

(1000) 1-Gal. cans, used, in good cond., 5¢/1. James Robin, Sr., Opelousas 70570; (337) 407-0188.

Wanted: 471 or 671 Detroit, left hand diesel motor & 20' or 25' Water Buffalo. Rodney Courville, Maringouin, 70757; (225) 625-3103.

Wanted: portable milking machine. Chester Thomas, Loranger, 70446; (985) 796-9417.

Wanted: used squeeze chute, in working cond. T. Veillen, Lake Charles, 70605; (337) 477-9708.

FROM THE FARM

Please include a statement along with your ad indicating how the item has been or can be used on a farm.

Okra & green onion cutters, motorized electric, \$400/up, also hand operated okra cutters, \$90-\$120. Franklin Courville, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

Goat milk soap, handmade, skin soothing, \$4/5-6 oz. bar, many varieties, all natural ingredients. Kathleen Matte, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-7130.

Planter tubs, white plastic, approx. 30-gal. capacity, \$7.5/1. E.J. Flanagan, Hammond, 70403; (985) 345-1498.

Wanted: old grist or mill stones, any size. Richard Eaves, Demopolis, AL, (334) 289-8906.

Wanted: I will pick up your unwanted items for free. Chris Plaisance, Greenwell Springs, 70739; (225) 262-0195.

Wanted: Peanut roaster, in working cond. Dawn Perkins, Ragley, 70657; (337) 666-2591.

FAIRS AND FESTIVALS

The Livingston Horse Show Association will host horse shows April 26 and May 10 at the Southpark Arena in Denham Springs. Both shows will begin promptly at 9 a.m.

For more information, contact DeLois Senez at (225) 664-3150 or JoLynn Allen at (225) 665-0335.

Laurel Valley Village will host the Annual Spring Heritage Festival, Sunday, April 27, from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. at the Laurel Valley Village Store, two miles from Thibodaux, on Highway 308. Admission is free. For more information, contact Ruth Gray at (985) 447-9351.

Baton Rouge Bird Society will host the 2003 Bird Fair

Sale and Swap on May 3 and 4 at the Fraternal Order of Police hall, 10777 Greenwell Springs Road, Baton Rouge.

For more information, call Kathy Erwin at (225) 926-3207.

Ron McLoughlin Free Seminar May 13, from 7-9 p.m. This seminar will be held at the Ike Hamilton Expo Center in West Monroe. Come and meet Ron McLoughlin and other horse handling enthusiasts. For more information, contact Kiazziah Allen at (318) 878-1971.

Region 4 Little Britches Rodeo April 18 & 19, Fri. 7 p.m., Sat. 11 a.m., at the Horseman Arena in Scott;

May 4, 10 a.m., at the Burton Ag. Arena in Lake Charles; May 11, 10 a.m., at the Burton Ag. Arena in Lake Charles. Don't forget to enter the Monday before each rodeo.

For more information, contact Bobbie Darbonne at (337) 762-3921 or email bobbie@camtel.net

Other Fairs and Festivals: Simmesport Atchafalaya River Festival, Simmesport, April 25-27; Etouffee Festival, Arnaudville, April 25-27; Westlake Fly, Fun & Food Festival, Westlake, April 25-27; Family Fun Festival, Larose, April 25-27; Potpourri Festival, Westwego, April 26-27; Thibodaux Firemen's Fair, Thibodaux, May 1-4.



"Crazy for Crawfish"

Crawfish Cornbread

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| 2 cups yellow cornmeal | 2 medium onions, chopped |
| 1 tbsp. salt | 16 oz. grated Cheddar cheese |
| 1 tsp. baking soda | (2) 16 oz. cans creamed corn |
| 6 eggs | 2 lbs. Louisiana crawfish tails |
| 1/2 cup sliced jalapeno peppers | |

In a large bowl combine dry ingredients. In a medium bowl beat eggs thoroughly. Add other ingredients to eggs. Add egg mixture to cornmeal mixture. Mix well. Bake in a 13" x 9" baking dish for 55 minutes at 375 degrees or until golden brown. Serves 12.

Crawfish Salad

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| 1/2 lb. chopped La. crawfish tails | 1/2 cup chopped cucumber |
| 2 hard boiled eggs, chopped | 2 tbsp. chopped bell pepper |
| 1/2 cut chopped celery | 4 tbsp. mayonnaise |
| 1/4 cup sliced green onions | 2 tsp. hot sweet mustard |
| 1/4 cup chopped parsley | Lemon pepper & salt to taste |

Toss together first 7 ingredients. Mix in the seasoning. Blend the mustard into the mayonnaise and stir into the salad. Refrigerate before serving over a bed of lettuce. Garnish each plate with a whole boiled crawfish, if available, and a lemon wedge.

Crawfish Fettuccine

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| 2 lbs. Louisiana crawfish tails | 1 can Rotel tomatoes |
| 2 med. onions, chopped | 1 bell pepper chopped |
| 2 cans cream of mushroom soup | (1) 7 oz. boc Velveeta cheese |
| 1 lb. box fettuccine noodles, cooked | |

Saute onions and bell pepper in butter until tender, add Rotel tomatoes, cream of mushroom soup and crawfish tails. Cook on medium heat for 20 minutes, stirring the mixture often. Add Velveeta cheese, simmer for 10 minutes or until cheese is melted, then add cooked noodles. Season to taste.

Crawfish Stuffed Jalapeno Peppers

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| 1 lb. Louisiana crawfish tails | 1/4 tsp. garlic powder |
| 10 oz. cream cheese, softened | Salt & pepper to taste |
| 3 tbsps. grated onion | 3/4 lb. jalapeno peppers |
| 3 tbsps. Worcestershire sauce | Red & green pepper slices |

Pat crawfish tailmeat dry with paper towels and chop. Beat cream cheese until fluffy. Stir in crawfish, onion, Worcestershire, garlic powder, salt & pepper. Cover and chill. Rinse whole peppers and remove stem ends. Cut whole peppers in half lengthwise and remove seeds. (wear rubber gloves when working with peppers.) Stuff pepper halves with crawfish mixture and garnish with additional pepper slices. For added zip, sprinkle with Cajun/Creole seasoning before garnishing. Makes about 30 appetizers.

Coming Your Way

Mini horse fun day

The Cajun Country Miniature Horse Club will host its third annual Miniature Horse Fun Day & Show Saturday, April 26, at the Lamar-Dixon Expo Center in Gonzales.

Classes begin at 10 a.m. and admission is free.

For more information, contact Gene at (225) 622-1732 or gminis@hotmail.com. Information is also available online at www.cajuncountryminis.com.

Rodeo rescheduled

Terrebonne Livestock Association is hosting the third Winter Series Rodeo Saturday, April 26 at the Houma Airbase Arena.

Early slack begins at 2 p.m. and the rodeo begins at 7 p.m. This rodeo is the make up date for the rained out event in February.

For more information or to register for the rodeo, contact Donna at (985)594-7545 or Wayne at (985)594-5656.

Horse show May 3

The South Louisiana Saddle Club is holding an open horse show at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 3, at Churchill Farms Arena, 10205 Lapalco, in Westwego.

Thirty-four halter, Western performance, fun and timed events are scheduled. First place through seventh place awards will be presented and points will be given toward a \$25,000 year-end prize.

New members and beginners are welcome.

For more information, contact Dudley Hartz at (504) 835-0614 or visit the Web site www.southlouisianasaddleclub.com.

Tech livestock sale

The Louisiana Tech University Farm Production Sale is scheduled for Saturday, May 3, at the Equine Center Arena at the university's South Campus.

Quarter horses, paint horses, heifers, steers, hogs and lambs will be available.

For more information, contact Dr. Gary Kennedy at (318) 257-3275 or visit www.livestocksale.latech.edu.

Horse riding camp

The University of Louisiana – Monroe is offering a horseback riding summer camp June 9-13 and June 16-20.

Space is limited. Camp includes swimming, horseback riding, field trips and other activities.

For more information, contact Kiaziah Allen (318) 878-1971.

Trappers the heart of boll weevil eradication



Preparing for another year in Louisiana cotton fields, boll weevil eradication officials are busy training some 250 trappers whose work is at the heart of the effort to eliminate the costly, century-old pest from the state.

"The trappers are our early warning system," Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry Bob Odom said. "They tell us where the weevils are when the season begins. Throughout the year their work provides the baseline to set spray schedules and judge the success of the program."

The Boll Weevil Eradication Program has been in place for seven years in northwest Louisiana and

for five years in the northeastern parishes. The weevil has been declared eradicated along the Red River. The program is in the final year of the initial five-year eradication effort in the Mississippi River Delta parishes.

Once the weevil is finally eradicated, trappers are still needed in a maintenance program to ensure that they don't resurface.

"Cotton states in the eastern U.S., where the weevil had been eradicated five years before we even started here, are still doing maintenance monitoring. Occasionally they find a spot where they pop up again. They don't know exactly why, but it happens," Odom said.

The 32-week trapping program began the last week in March and continues through stalk destruction following the fall harvest. Boll weevils feed and reproduce only on cotton. This is the lifestyle characteristic that makes eradication possible.

The work of the trappers, riding 4-wheelers, which they personally own, is to patrol every acre of cotton in the state. On their ATVs they move from trap to trap, stuck on the end of four-foot cane poles, spaced at 150-foot intervals around a field.

Trappers collect weevils and replace the two colored plastic attractant and killing strips in each trap every two weeks. When placing and checking traps, trappers are required to scan a bar code printed on each trap. For monitoring and research purposes, the bar codes of the thousands of traps ringing the state's cotton fields are stored on a central database in Baton Rouge.

"Working from daylight to dark, our trappers will put anywhere from 1,700 to 3,500 miles on their ATVs in a year's work," Dr. John Andries, executive director of the program, said.

The Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation's Wendell Miley was at the program's Winnsboro office recently providing mandatory ATV instruction. "With the number of miles they put on their ATVs over the type of terrain they drive there are many opportunities for accidents," Miley said.

Rollovers in ditches, hitting objects and hitting washouts are the chief ATV hazards, Miley said. "Balancing your weight while driving is the key. The driver should always be in position to shift his weight so he keeps all four wheels on the ground."

In addition to ATV safety training, new trappers are taught trap placement. "We don't want traps under trees. They need to be in sunlight," Andries said. "The sun activates the scent in the lure that attracts the weevils. We don't want them in areas that are going to grow up in weeds. The traps need to be kept out of turn rows where field equipment is going to knock them over."

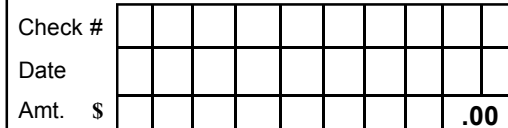
"In old fields that aren't replanted in cotton this year, we will make two trap checks about two weeks apart. If we don't find anything we pick up the traps. For areas where cotton is planted this year, we'll be checking those traps every two weeks until after harvest."



Boll weevil traps are placed at 150-foot intervals along every cotton field in Louisiana. Trappers scan the individualized bar code in every trap at regular intervals and send information to a central database in Baton Rouge for monitoring and research purposes. L.M. Watkins and Marshall McFarland prepare for the day's patrolling. McFarland (right) and Watkins (below) place new traps on cane poles.



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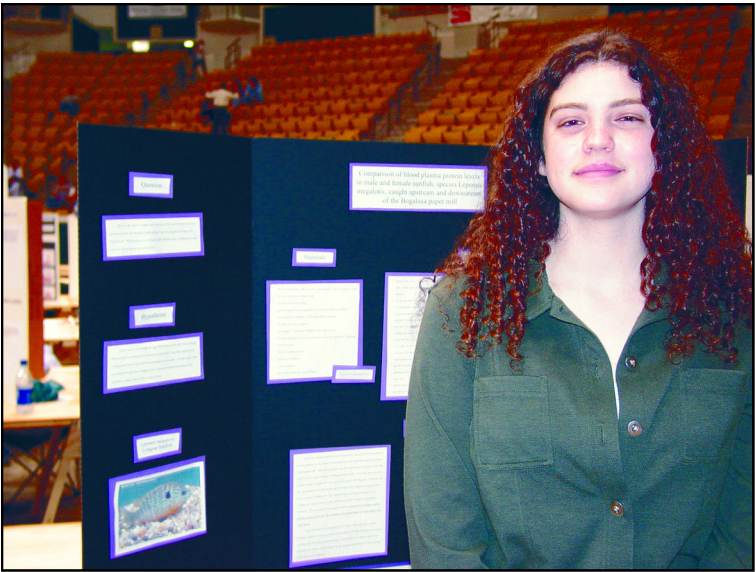
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ed to attend Louisiana Ag Day in Baton Rouge and receive their certificate from Odom during a special ceremony. The students also displayed their projects for those in attendance.

Award winners are from Region I, David Mata, Caddo Magnet High School, Shreveport, and Carrie Faye Smith, North DeSoto Middle School, Stonewall; Region II, Tynesha Rushing, Gibsland-Coleman School, Gibsland, and Morgan Nossor, Winnfield Middle School, Winnfield; Region III, Justin Dausat and Kasi McPherson, Delhi Charter School, Delhi, and Laurn LeAnn Marshall and Heath Simms, Delhi Charter School, Delhi; Region V, Brett Martin, Anacoco Senior High School, Anacoco, and David Hart, Episcopal Day School,

Lake Charles.

Other winners include, from Region VI, Andrew Roussel, Catholic High New Iberia, New Iberia, and Stuart Monte, Family Life Christian Academy, Lafayette; Region VII, Daniel Castille, McKinley Senior High School, Baton Rouge, and Christopher Philpott, Glasgow Middle School, Baton Rouge; Region VIII, Erin Elizabeth Kinchen, Hammond High School, Hammond, and Megan Thibodaux, St. Peter Elementary, Covington; Region IX, Whitney Normand, John Curtis Christian High School, New Orleans, and Betsy Lopez, East Jefferson High School, Kenner; and Region X, Anthony Fletcher, St. James High School, St. James, and Ashley Foret, Raceland Middle School, Raceland.



Winners of the Bob Odom Best in Agriculture and Forestry Science Fair Achievement Awards are: Erin Kinchen of Hammond (above), Morgan Nossor of Winnfield (far left), Christopher Philpott of Baton Rouge (middle), Megan Thibodaux of Folsom (near left), Kasi McPherson and Justin Dausat of Delhi (below left), Tynesha Rushing of Gibsland (below middle), Daniel Castille of Baton Rouge (below right), and Stuart Monte of Lafayette (bottom). Each student received a certificate and a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond from Commissioner Bob Odom.

